



—Ted Shackelford

Stuart Conarroe and assailant

## Foreign Invader

### Scorpion Bites Esquimalt Man

By TED SHACKLEFORD

A 23-year-old Esquimalt man was bitten by a poisonous scorpion in Victoria Wednesday afternoon.

The tiny scorpion, only about 1 1/2 inches long including the crab-like claws and slender tail, came to Victoria from Florida in a box of Plumbago fern consigned to a city wholesaler.

Stuart Conarroe, 784 Fairview, was unpacking the fern when he was stung by the thin, needle-like dart at the end of the scorpion's tail.

#### INJECTION

Taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by his employers, Mr. Conarroe's swollen hand was given a local anesthetic and he was given an injection to counter the scorpion's poison.

Doctors told him the spider-like scorpion packed enough poison to kill a small child.

Mr. Conarroe's hand and forearm swelled to twice normal size before stopping. It was the first recorded case of scorpion poisoning in Victoria for many years.

#### BITE ON PALM

"It was about 2:30 p.m.," Mr. Conarroe recalled last night. "I was unpacking the box of fern and I reached in to pick up two bundles and I felt this

bite on the palm of my right hand.

"I dropped the fern and just then one of the fellows came in. I said I had been bitten by something and, just joking, he said it was a scorpion.

"When I picked up the fern and shook it the scorpion fell on the back of my left hand and I had to shake it four times before I could get it off.

#### TO HOSPITAL

"Then I called Gerry Steele (assistant manager of the florist firm) and we stuck it in a bottle and he took me to hospital."

Swelling began immediately he was bitten and the poison made Mr. Conarroe drowsy. He rested at St. Joseph's Hospital for a short time before going home.

Mr. Conarroe has kept the scorpion and plans to preserve it in formaldehyde as a souvenir. Like a baby lobster with its two pincers and narrow body about as long as a dime is wide, the scorpion was lively, running around a pie plate.

## Winter Sealing Baltic

LONDON (UPI)—Land-slides Wednesday wrecked dozens of buildings in Italy while one of the worst European winters of the century threatened to close the Baltic Sea route to the Atlantic.

The Swedish national ice-breaking commission said the 157,000-square-mile Baltic may have to be closed to all shipping during March because of the ice barriers in the German Strait.

#### FISHERMEN BARRED

This would mean that Baltic Sea nations, including the Soviet Union, would be barred from access to the Atlantic and that Polish and East German fishing trawlers would be unable to land their catches at their home ports.

Meteorologists said they had informed the Swedish commission that temperatures in all of northern Europe will be below normal or considerably below normal during the next 10 days—and probably longer.

#### 100 HOMELESS

More than 100 persons were homeless at Cepesole, east of Naples, where 30 buildings were endangered and another 24 warehouses and workshops have partially collapsed because of the advancing sea of mud and rocks.

Torrential rains lashing the Italian peninsula caused a wall to collapse at Caserta, killing two school children.

#### TOLL 1,700

The Siberian cold wave, which began its sweep across Europe Dec. 23, has been blamed for nearly 1,700 deaths, including the 12 persons killed by landslides in Italy since Sunday.



GEORGE PEARKE  
... limited

## No Shop Talk

VANCOUVER (CP)—Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes, who served as defence minister in the Diefenbaker government until his present appointment in 1960, says a lieutenant-governor has a limited choice of subjects on which he may speak in public.

Addressing the Canadian Club here Wednesday, he said:

"I'm sure all of you would like to hear me deal with the present political situation."

As lieutenant-governor, however, he could not. He added:

"As many of you have told me in the past, I know nothing about national defence."

## Multi-Nation Force

### Polaris on Surface Backed for NATO

WASHINGTON (AP)—A suggestion that surface ships can be used for a start on a Polaris missile system for NATO got United States backing Wednesday.

The state department, obviously after consultation with

Britain, unveiled largest-ever defence budget, including new nuclear weapons for V-bomber force. See Page 3.

the defence department, said a multi-nation force using Polaris nuclear missiles would be composed of either surface ships or submarines or both. A spokesman then added that studies made by the U.S. indicate "it would be advantageous to equip the force with surface ships at least initially."

There would be several apparent advantages for European nations in using surface vessels, either warships or converted merchant-type craft, as launching bases for Polaris weapons.

They would be less expensive than the atomic-powered submarines used by the U.S. navy, which cost about \$120,000,000 each—not counting the cost of the 16 missiles each boat carries.

## U.S. Naval Officer Told to Quit Haiti

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti, valuer last year with critical (AP)—The regular government's comments about creation of a militia, his asked the commander of the United States naval mission, Marine Col. Robert Deha Heint, to leave Haiti by Thursday. It was learned Wednesday. He has headed the 50-man U.S. mission since 1959.

Heint incurred the displeasure of President Francois Duvalier last year when he

had been in Haiti for six months. At any moment the lid is expected to blow off the boiling cauldron of unrest in the Negro republic of Haiti, which is only 20 miles from Cuba. For the ugly picture, turn to BACKGROUND on Page 5.

## Harkness Unopposed For Tory Nomination

CALGARY (CP)—Former defence minister Douglas Harkness Wednesday night was nominated Progressive Conservative candidate for Calgary North in the April 8 federal election. He was not opposed.

Mr. Harkness resigned from his defence post three weeks ago over a dispute with the Conservative government on nuclear weapons. He has represented Calgary North for 18 years.

NEW LEADER  
The former minister said in Calgary Monday that Prime Minister Diefenbaker should be replaced by a new leader of the Conservative party.

About 250 supporters gave Mr. Harkness a standing ovation at the meeting in the auditorium of Balmoral school. There were seats for 300 people.

The former school teacher and army officer was introduced as a "man who in the finest traditions of Progressive Conservatism has put principles, belief and honesty before personal considerations."

#### PLACARDS

Mr. Harkness advocates nuclear weapons for Canadian armed forces.

Two placard-bearing students from the University of Alberta in Calgary entered the auditorium a few minutes before the nomination was accepted.

They identified themselves as members of the Combined University Campaign Against Nuclear Disarmament for Canada.

A delegation of 12 supporters led by Mayor E. A. Toshack of Drumheller, Alta., paraded into the auditorium carrying placards supporting Mr. Harkness.

Dr. John Porter, president of the Calgary North Constituency Association, said Mr. Harkness served Canada in "perhaps one

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# Brazil, Paraguay? REDS BUILDING LATIN BASES



DR. DEVARONA  
... military action

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A former president of the Cuban senate told a Congressional hearing Wednesday he has been told that the Russians have set up secret bases in Brazil and Paraguay.

The claim was made by Dr. Manuel de Varona who said the Russians and other European Communist workers have built supply centres near Asuncion, Paraguay, and in northwest Brazil. The anti-Castro refugee said he understood that both bases appeared to have airstrips that could accommodate large planes.

In his testimony before the house foreign affairs subcommittee on Latin America, de Varona also said that only military action led by the United States "can liberate Cuba and restore peace to the hemisphere."

#### NOT ENOUGH

DeVarona, whose son took part in the Bay of Pigs invasion fiasco, said diplomatic and economic pressures are not enough to topple the Fidel Castro regime.

He urged an air and naval blockade of the island to force the removal of Soviet troops in Cuba. He also advocated military help to Cuban freedom fighters and if needed "collective armed action by the American republics, including the United States."

#### "UNDERSTAND"

DeVarona, who was Cuba's prime minister from 1948 to 1950, did not specifically call for an invasion but he commented that other Latin American countries would understand if the United States sent armed forces into Cuba.

"There is a distinction between an action of conquest and an action of liberation," he said.

#### 35,000 REDS

DeVarona questioned the administration's assertion that there are approximately 17,000 Russian military troops in Cuba. He said his sources indicated there were about 35,000 Soviet troops on the island.

The witness attached no significance to reports that the Russians will soon pull several thousand more troops out of Cuba. While one contingent leaves, he said, another contingent could come in.

#### Slide Buries 13

TOKYO (AP)—Thirteen lumberjacks were buried Wednesday in an avalanche that rolled over a wooden hut 17 miles north of Ishiguro in northeastern Honshu. Police said one person was killed and nine were missing.

## Lifejacket Only Sign Of Lost Freighter

KEY WEST, Fla. (UPI)—A lifejacket clearly stencilled "Salpeter Queen" was found bobbing in an oil slick in the Florida Straits Wednesday, but hours of renewed search failed to turn up any sign of the 20 crewmen who vanished with the vessel.

## Thanks to Canada

# U.S. Deficit Swollen

By HAROLD MORRISON

WASHINGTON (CP)—The United States commerce department, looking over its 1962 international trade and payments picture, finds the U.S. deficit bigger than anticipated. It says Canada's dollar troubles "worsened" the U.S. payments balance.

At the same time, a state department official praised the Canadian government for removing more of the special import restrictions imposed during the 1962 dollar crisis and expressed hope the remainder would be removed shortly.

The view here is that the U.S. government expects Canada to remove all of the restrictions before an important ministerial trade conference gets under way at Geneva in May. That meeting is to set the stage for 1964 tariff negotiations under President Kennedy's trade expansion authority.

The commerce department had anticipated the U.S. payments deficit for 1962 would total about \$2,000,000,000. A closer look showed it was a little higher—about \$2,200,000,000—even though the U.S.

had raised an extra \$367,000,000 during the final three months of the year through advance debt repayments from France and from the sale of short-term bonds in Europe.

The U.S. government is deeply concerned about the payments deficit—with more dollars flowing out of the country than coming in—and is attempting to reduce U.S. spending abroad by curbing foreign defence contracts and inducing the allies to shoulder a bigger share of joint defence costs.

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## Sevigny an Independent?

MONTREAL (CP)—Pierre Sevigny, a former minister in the Diefenbaker government, said Wednesday he may announce next month that he will run as an independent candidate in Longueuil riding.

At a press conference called to announce his plans in view of the April 8 federal election, Mr. Sevigny said: "I have not yet decided my personal course of action."

Formerly associate minister of national defence in the Progressive Conservative cabinet, he resigned Feb. 9 in a dispute over defence policy.

Wednesday he repeated earlier statements that Canada has specific commitments toward the North Atlantic Treaty Organization "that we must respect." These commitments could only be discharged if certain weapons, such as the Bomarc missiles and CF-104 fighter-

bombers, were equipped with short-range nuclear warheads "of a tactical or defensive nature."

"Our tactical short-range defensive nuclear warheads, even if they were stored on our soil in deep warehouses, would remain in the hands of the United States until such a day as an attack appeared imminent, when the president of the U.S. could release them to our Canadian forces."







# Market Hopes Rise After Rift Patched

BRUSSELS (UPI) — Fears group met without dissension and settled a problem unresolved for five months. The move came during a meeting of the Market's council of ministers. They unanimously decided the Market would contribute \$1,500,000 to the UN's Food and Agricultural Organization to fight an outbreak of hoof-and-mouth disease.

## Non-Aggression Draft Presented

GENEVA (Reuters) — The Soviet Union presented at the 17-nation disarmament conference Wednesday a draft calling for a non-aggression treaty between NATO and the Warsaw treaty countries.

The draft, which received an initially cool reception from western delegates, called for both alliances to "refrain from attack, the threat or use of force in any manner inconsistent with the purposes and principles of the United Nations charter against one another or in their international relations in general."

### NOT THE PLACE

Chief American delegate William Foster said the Geneva conference is not the proper place to discuss such a treaty between the two blocs. He added: "There are many countries, whose national security is vitally concerned, not represented here and there are countries here who are not members of the two military alliances."

## Asylum Hope For Pirates

MACAPA, Brazil (AP) — Brazilian authorities took custody of the Venezuelan freighter *Amazona* Wednesday and made its pro-Communist captors informed guests of the government. A foreign official spokesman predicted the ship's captain would be given political asylum.

### GOOD PROGRESS

"We made good progress," Luxembourg minister Emile Schaus told newsmen after the session.

The decision ended five months of disagreement on what to do about the disease, which may threaten cattle in the Common Market countries.

The council also discussed meat and rice prices during their two-day meeting, but referred the subject to the market executive council. The question of dairy products was referred to a committee of experts for further study.

### INTERIM SOLUTION

In Switzerland, a Zurich newspaper published an interview with Dutch Foreign Minister Joseph Luns in which he said Holland and Belgium were studying an "interim solution" for linking Britain with the Common Market.

Luns said the Belgian-Dutch proposals "could very well" lead to a plan on which all six market members, including France, could agree.

He repeated his earlier sharp criticisms of French President de Gaulle's torpedoing of the Brussels negotiations.

### NORDIC COUNCIL

In another development, Danish Foreign Minister Per Hækkerup left London for a meeting of the Nordic Council in Oslo after inconclusive talks with Britain on the Faroe Island fishing limits.



## Handy Again...

Weight is lifted by Arthur Holmes, 42, right above, as part of physical therapy program to regain use of right hand, reattached by Dr. William Shorey in Chicago after being cut off in hindery accident. Below, finger exercise is taught in Hanover, N.H., to Walter Voegell by physical therapist Martha Suter after doctors re-attached Voegell's left arm, almost severed by accidental gunshot.

## ...And Armed



## British Arms

# More Millions

## World in Brief

By AP, UPI

LONDON (CP) — Defence Minister Thorneycroft presented his annual statement on defence Wednesday and estimated a record peace-time expenditure of £1,338,000,000 in 1963-64.

This is almost £117,000,000 more than the previous budget year.

### NEW EQUIPMENT

Most of the extra money will provide all three services with new and more sophisticated equipment and weapons, including submarines - detection services, a homing torpedo, the Wasp helicopter which can operate from frigates, anti-tank missiles and a variety of small guided missiles.

Another big bill will be for new high-frequency communications equipment being introduced.

### WILL FIRE

Expenditures on the Polaris submarine missile, to replace the abandoned Skybolt air-to-ground missile as Britain's nuclear deterrent, will be small but are expected to rise steeply after 1964.

One of the most surprising aspects of the report is that the opening statement, usually a lengthy outline of government defence policy, this year is confined to only four paragraphs stressing inter-service co-ordination.

### NEXT FIVE YEARS

But the defence department Wednesday maintained that policy is virtually unchanged since last year's 6,000-word statement entitled "the next five years."

One major expense will be as yet unnamed nuclear weapons to be carried by the V-bomber force.

LONDON — The government was pressed in Parliament yesterday to accept Russian oil in exchange for Soviet orders for ships that could promote work in British shipyards.

"Who comes first—the unemployed or a handful of American and British oil magnates?" asked Labor MP Frank Allaun.

A ships-for-oil deal recently proposed by the Russians has drawn opposition from U.S. and British oil concerns.

JERUSALEM — A Communist motion for abolition of all military rule in Arab-inhabited border areas of Israel was defeated 50-46 in parliament. Prime Minister David Ben-Gurion thus won his demand for retention of the system under which military governors administer the sensitive frontier regions.

MOSCOW — A Soviet booklet charged Israel is a source of aggression, provocation and sabotage against the 80,000,000 Arabs who surround it, Moscow Radio reported.

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# Union Boss Shuns \$50,000

UNION CITY, N.J. — Anthony (Tony) Frovenzano, 45, has refused to accept the \$50,000 pay raise voted him last week by a teamster union local.

He still is trying to decide about accepting the \$25,000 raise the union gave him last Christmas, said David Friedman, counsel for the local. His authorized salary shot up to \$95,000 through the raises.

NEW YORK — Elizabeth Taylor's \$50,000,000 negligence suit in the airplane death of husband Michael Todd was set.



JACK WEBB  
... television plume



ELIZABETH TAYLOR  
... suit settled

LOS ANGELES — Jack Webb has been named executive in charge of television production for Warner Bros., replacing William Orr, who moves to feature production, concentrating on high-budget films.

VANCOUVER — Mrs. Violet McEwan, 72, a pensioner who looks much younger, was fined \$50 after pleading guilty to vagrancy through being a prostitute. "I don't know whether to congratulate you or condemn you," said Magistrate A. L. Bewley. Giving her 14 days to pay, he warned: "Be careful how you raise it."

VANCOUVER — Imbelle McEwan, former musical comedy star and wife of Vancouver orchestra leader Harry Frye, died following a long illness.

KANLOOPS — Peer Paynter, 64, Social Credit federal candidate for Okanagan-Boundary, suffered severe facial injuries and a broken rib in a two-car crash which killed Louis Hoenig, 52, of Vernon.

INDIANAPOLIS — The state appellate court ruled Lorraine Ann Cox, 33, was entitled to unemployment compensation because she quit her job with "just cause." She resigned when her boss said she could be replaced by a 10-year-old child.

VANCOUVER — Anton Horvath, 26, described as a road menace, has been banned from driving for five years, jailed for 30 days and fined \$400 or an extra 60 days following conviction for impaired driving, failing to remain at the scene of an accident and driving while under suspension.

CALGARY — Frank Laurie, no fixed address, was committed for trial on a charge of breaking into the offices of the John Howard Society—an organization which aids prisoners and ex-convicts.

ORANGEVILLE, Ont. — Rev. Reginald Davidson has been suspended as minister of Westminster United Church while the Dufferin-Peel presbytery investigates him. Neither presbytery officials nor Mr. Davidson will say why the suspension was ordered.

AUCKLAND, N.Z. — Larry Balloran, 19, who said he had a nightmare after eating a hamburger walked in his sleep and fell 30 feet from a fire escape. His only injury—a thigh bruise.

ELIZABETH, N.J. — Phil Riccio, former New York Yankees shortstop and now a sports announcer, suffered compound fractures of the four fingers of his right hand when he caught his hand in a snow plow.

ADEN — Dr. Abdul Rahman Baydany, vice-president of Yemen's republican regime, will be tried for high treason and other charges.

VANCOUVER — Imbelle McEwan, former musical comedy star and wife of Vancouver orchestra leader Harry Frye, died following a long illness.

WASHINGTON — A plan to give European television radio audiences a conversational glimpse of President Kennedy has been shelved temporarily, in part because of new friction between the Western allies.

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## Names in the News

LOS ANGELES — Three men posing as Catholic priests collected about \$16,000 in "donations," "blessing" the donors and allowing them to kiss their rings. Arrested for petty theft and misrepresentation were Walter Monroe, 56; Norman Letourneau, 28, and John Dennis, 58.

OTTAWA — Commodore Ralph Hennessey, 44, of Ottawa, has been appointed commodore, RCN Barracks, Halifax, the navy announced.

BONN — The parliamentary leadership of Chancellor Adenauer's Christian Democratic Party decided it must pick his successor soon—possibly by July.

NEW DELHI — U.S. Ambassador John Kenneth Galbraith announced he will resign in the summer or early autumn to resume teaching at Harvard University next fall.

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However, far from indicating any levelling-off, a report issued recently by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics records that the Canadian living standard has made a phenomenal gain between the years 1951 and 1963.

The differences as noted by the report are quite startling. Just over ten years ago 88 per cent of all households had electric lighting, today 97 per cent have this convenience. More than 70 per cent of all homes had central heating in 1962 as opposed to 47 per cent in 1951, while 90 per cent have running water compared with 47 per cent in the earlier year.

Over the same period, homes equipped with refrigerators rose from 38 to 93 per cent, gas or electric cooking equipment increased from 51 per cent to 81 per cent, and vacuum cleaners from 42 to 70 per cent.

In a less mundane field, households possessing automobiles increased from 43 to 61 per cent, while homes owning television sets advanced from practically nil to 87 per cent.

Nor can it be overlooked that more people own their own homes than ever before; more people are providing their children with higher technical or university education than ever before, and more people are putting more money in personal savings than ever before.

All in all, these facts and statistics would seem to indicate that while many Canadian politicians view the future of this country with some uncertainty, the people of Canada as a whole do not agree with their opinions on the subject.

## Smear Tactics

JUST WHAT do New Democratic Party opposition members mean when they say that Social Credit "shakes down" British Columbia firms for campaign funds? The implication is clear enough: that Premier Bennett's party underhandedly extracts political donations by demanding them from companies as the price of the government's good will or favor, as realized in contracts and policies.

The words have now been barred by the Speaker, and correctly so, as not befitting the propriety of the Legislative Assembly. The imputation remains on record, however—to the discredit of the New Democratic Party for thus taking advantage of parliamentary privilege if it cannot back up its tar-brushing with specific allegations which can be investigated.

He would be a naive soul indeed who thought that the campaign funds of the so-called free enterprise parties received no donations from free-enterprise business. It is the practice of many companies as it is of individuals to help by this means to put in power or keep in power the sort of government they want; in fact it is generally assumed that business is a substantial contributor to the "war chests" not only of the party in power, but the non-socialist alternatives, which can hardly be to the satisfaction of the New Democrats.

But by innuendo instead of instance to impute coercion or other dishonest practice in the raising of Social Credit political funds is something else again: without purported evidence that can be challenged and examined, it is an attempted smear that reflects poorly upon its authors.

## Not Useless, But...

IN THE SENSE that talking is part of the parliamentary scene the throne speech debate is not exactly useless, as one Sacred member, Mr. William Murray, avers. Members of the legislature have to display their merits and this is one opportunity to do so. The pros and cons of debate reveal the qualities of MLAs.

They have to show their constituents at home, also, that they don't just sit like lumps on a log, as it were, but have something worthwhile to contribute to the thinking of the House.

Nevertheless the freedom to ramble far and wide which the throne speech debate gives might well be combined with the budget debate, which allows equal irrelevance of subject. One opportunity in this vein should be enough.

If the legislature met for three or six months the locality wouldn't matter. But it doesn't. And so much time consumed in sheer talk unconfined to specific business at hand cuts short the time left for legislation. Members of the Legislative Assembly are there primarily to legislate, after all.

It has been a quiet session so far, with MLAs commendably avoiding undue acrimony and needless rumpus, and no major legislation seems to be on the agenda. Even so the customary last minute rush to pass bills in a hurry and get home is likely to be repeated this year. Were there less limitless talk in the two debates in question obviously there would be more time to devote to careful scrutiny of bills and estimates.

Another Sacred member, Mr. Waldo Skillings, has also complained about the length of the speeches, but the habit is so ingrained one doubts that members will feel disposed to cut their addresses short.

The business of the House would be advanced, however, if every MLA didn't have to speak at maximum length, leaving cabinet ministers and opposition leaders to make the greatest verbal play.

## Who Cares?

AS AN EXERCISE in bureaucratic ingenuity the "simplified" T1 "short" tax form this year is probably a masterpiece. It compels the taxpayer to a "do-it-yourself" as well as a "pay-it-yourself" task. The person who devised the 16 per cent calculation which is first taken off and then added back again should get a medal—or be fired. Ostensibly the idea is to let the taxpayer know how much he pays to each of the federal and provincial treasuries, but in all probability he couldn't care less. It is enough for him that he has to pay, without the absurdity of putting in a figure which a moment later he has in effect to take out again.

## Thinking Aloud

... of shoes, and ships,  
and sealing wax...

By TOM TAYLOR

HE looks the picture of care-free childhood, does the little fellow I see in a news shot; probably the most precious years of life. No worries, no doubts, no hesitations, just the sheer joy of day-to-day living.

Well, this young chap does have one eye screwed up, I must admit. He is not wholly care-free. In fact he is concentrating on a most important project.

He is shooting a "boob." To be precise and in keeping with local nomenclature he is playing marbles, this being the time of the year when the agates and the steels begin to make their appearance.

Harbingers of spring, more determinate even than daffodils.

Just what the boy is after, exactly, I forget. He's got a marble in front of his thumb and he's about to prang it into a circle of other marbles, but remembrance of the routine of the game escapes me.

After all, it's quite a time since I played boos.

I use this word deliberately to summon up memories for those of my readers who are familiar with the game as so described. It may bring back their youth for a moment or two.

My own recollections are vague, a circumstance that would disturb me except it's always been that way. I never could recall the details of the games I played in childhood.

I have some vision of "knuckling a plunker," or was it that big boob, cast larger than the others, was fired at a bunch of ordinary marbles in order to scatter them? Perhaps someone can enlighten me. I should have a record of my past, innocent misdeeds.

There's a notion at the back of my mind also about something called "spangin'" where in one spread the fingers on a thumb hinge and marked the earth in a circular motion. This, I presume, was to advance the place-mark of a shot, like getting a start in a foot race. Another gambit was to put a marble into a small hole much as a golfer does on the green, only there was no green nor putter either.

But just how this was accomplished is now beyond my ken.

The variety of childish games in older times was legion, before the motor car made streets unsafe for their playing. Occasionally yet in some quiet thoroughfare one comes across children at the legacies of these earlier plays, skipping rope or even something resembling "pee-vo," or perhaps propelling a "gird" with a stick.

I never see the technique of a metal rod attached to the hoop, though.

And, by the way, if you come across children at such play, drive slowly; they are enjoying the carefree moments of life, remember.

There was a game we played in those far-off days, too, called cat-and-bat, and that other well-known favorite, rounders.

No one would play rounders nowadays since it was a street game, and when it shifted to playgrounds something else was substituted. In North America, as you know, it became baseball.

As well, see what happens when I spy a little Vancouver boy playing marbles, and it seems to me, with a right real professional air. I doubt if in my prime as a boos player I could have knuckled down quite so confidently as he is doing.

I am rusty on the subject, as foregoing makes clear. Tell me, someone, what is meant by "bullfinching"?

## From the Scriptures

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who made Heaven and earth.—Psalm 124:8



"This is where they used to measure world opinion. That's the trouble with being a powerful nation—you don't care what people think of you any more!"



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## Bonn Ascendancy Feared

## The New Trend in Moscow

By ISAAC DEUTSCHER

HOW has Moscow reacted to the Anglo-French conflict over the Common Market? And how has it received General de Gaulle's call for the defence of Europe against the "invasion of American capital"? Has this call not struck a chord in Moscow?

Surprisingly perhaps, it has not. Moscow appears to be taking no advantage at all of the Gaullist antagonism to the "Anglo-Saxons." Some time ago such an attitude in Moscow would have been almost unthinkable. De Gaulle would have been praised, applauded, and hailed; and the cry "Yankos, go home!" would have risen at once in response to his anti-American cue.

No "Yankos go home" is to be heard now. And although some people in the West pretended to see a Russo-French deal in the offing, there was no sign of it in Moscow. On the contrary, de Gaulle has the worst possible press in Russia; and the Soviet foreign ministry has vehemently protested against his pact with Adenauer signed on January 22.

It goes without saying that Moscow hopes to benefit from the dissensions within NATO. But rather than play the French against the Americans, Khrushchev is tacitly and not so tacitly allying himself at the moment with President Kennedy (and to some extent even with Mr. Macmillan) against de Gaulle.

This is certainly one of the consequences of the Russo-American deal over Cuba and yet another manifestation of the climate of Russo-American conciliation which Mr. Khrushchev has been trying to foster in the teeth of Chinese opposition.

He has decided to give Washington proof that he is not seeking to exploit American difficulties in Europe. In this way he hopes to advance the exchanges between himself and the American president that are evidently still going on in private and have to some extent effectively replaced the earlier, more ostentatious, summit diplomacy.

Very quietly something like a permanent summit conference en deux is in progress; and the Soviet prime minister does not seem in a mood to take off his shoe and bang. His new tactics are bound up with a new Soviet appreciation of the Common Market and a profound distaste for the "Paris-Bonn axis." Gone are the days when Moscow experts played down the Common Market and treated it as a more or less ephemeral development. They now take it for granted that the Common Market has come to stay; that it signifies a profound change in the economic structure of

this western world, the emergence of a new supra-national power bloc—although they do not really believe that Western Europe will ever become the equal either of the U.S.A. or of the U.S.S.R.

They point out in Moscow that the United States has been the foster parent of the Common Market, hoping to control and use it, but that the Common Market has turned out to be the Frankenstein with which the United States does not quite know how to deal now. Moscow intimates that it might be willing to lend a hand in taming the Frankenstein.

In truth, the Common Market, by demonstrating so defiantly its economic protectionism, has created ground for something like a Russo-American-British front against it. Such a combination can hardly be solid or lasting; but

## Today In History

By THE CANADIAN PRESS

Samuel Morse gave the first public demonstration of his telegraph 125 years ago today—in 1838.

The Massachusetts-born inventor devised the original Morse code with Alfred Vail in 1837. In 1943 Congress granted him \$30,000 for an experimental telegraph line between Washington and Baltimore and Morse's system was soon widely adopted.

1918—The First World War battle of Verdun began.

1889—The Washington monument in Washington, D.C., was dedicated.

## Soviet Art

## The Fuss Grows

By MARK FRANKLAND from Moscow

STIMULATED apparently by Mr. Khrushchev's angry words about modern painting, there has developed in the Soviet Union a noisy campaign against experiment and unorthodoxy in the arts. Abstract painters have been discovered and verbally demolished as far away as Siberia; jazz bands have at times had to protect their instruments from the wrath of high-minded Communists; international prize-winning film directors have met criticism at home; and the most talented Soviet poet, Andrei Voznesensky, now seems to come in for disapproval whenever any critic writes on modern poetry.

Some people feel that Mr. Khrushchev and other party leaders may now consider that the campaign against "the Left" in Soviet art has been carried too far. Many conservatives, some active under Stalin, have perhaps overplayed their hand; their criticism of jazz, which is undoubtedly popular among ordinary young people, is a case in point.

Nevertheless, there is a very real concern about the state of art, and in particular of young artists. One middle-aged party member outlined his attitude. There is still a deal of work to be done in the Soviet Union, he said. The goals set by the party leadership are high, and to reach them energy and single-mindedness are necessary. Art should direct people towards these goals; it should inspire them to get on with the job set by the party. The country cannot afford to allow writers, painters and poets to become preoccupied with subjects or adopt techniques which do not help this process—the more so because it is generally the most talented young artists who are guilty of such tendencies.

This wish for a unanimous effort towards a common social end is a natural phenomenon in any country going through a rapid period of social development like the Soviet Union. But there is another element in the Soviet situation: a dislike of the ideas and forms of other cultures partly because they are not Communist, partly because they are not Russian. It is, of course, just such ideas and forms that the "liberals" here are interested in, without being less loyal Soviet citizens. This is illustrated by two recent reactions to displays of Western art here.

An exhibition of the work of the French painter, Leger, opened in Moscow shortly after Mr. Khrushchev's attack on modern art. Leger was a Communist, but in his painting indulged in abstractionism and all kinds of formalism that are anathema here. How was this exhibition to be justified?

This exercise was performed by A. B. Chikovsky, the new editor of the previously rather liberal Literary Gazette.

Mr. Chikovsky stressed that no Soviet painter was justified in experimenting with forms as Leger did. In the capitalist world you expected people to suffer from delusions, but in a socialist society, where the truth was known about painting, God and other matters, it was equally absurd to paint abstract pictures or to believe in God.

A more direct approach to Western art comes from a recent meeting of Soviet choreographers which discussed the New York City Ballet. Some choreographers present declared that they should be open to outside influence and take what is useful and valuable even from a U.S. ballet company. But one of the senior choreographers presiding over the meeting declared that since Soviet ballet was the best in the world, it had nothing to learn from anyone.

Dateline: Europe

## Question Of Face

By OTTO VON HARNBURG

OVER a month ago the debate between China and Russia flared up with renewed violence. This time, the mutual attacks became much more direct. The Albanian comrades have a breather. Peking and Moscow mention each other by name, without using the cover-word "Transa."

Besides the speeches at the convention of the East German Communist Party, three written documents have set the tone. The Chinese official newspaper Jenminjipao published two lengthy editorials, on December 31 and on January 27. Pivada replied on January 7. While the Russians use the old arguments, the Chinese have a new weapon in their arsenal: personal attacks on Khrushchev.

Before the Cuban affair the leader of the Kremlin was spared by the Chinese propaganda, which struck at secondary, mediocre figures. Now Peking speaks up openly and accuses Khrushchev not only of deviationism, but also of cowardice.

To anyone who knows a little about Asia the importance of these well-calculated insults is obvious. In the East "face" or prestige is everything. The essential element of honor is courage. Somebody who is considered a coward is discredited once and for all. A small anecdote may illustrate this fact.

During the Chinese civil war the author of this article had to fly from Peking, besieged by the Communists, to the then Nationalist capital of Nanking. The aircraft was in bad shape and dangerously overloaded. One European diplomat got off the plane declaring that the risk was much too great. Some coolies who were loading freight laughed at him. "This was enough to dishonor the dignity. His government was compelled to recall him a few weeks later, since nobody wanted to talk anymore to this 'man without a face'."

Something similar happens now in world politics. We witness an articulate effort of the Peking Communists to make Khrushchev lose face. The great debate, yesterday still dealing in principles, is becoming a campaign of personal destruction. The Russian leader is vulnerable on that score. To nations who have no clear vision of the destructive capacity of modern weapons and who have been indoctrinated to believe in Communism's invincibility, the Cuban capitulation will appear not as a gesture of legitimate caution correcting an obvious error of judgment, but as a show of abject cowardice. If this feeling spreads Mao will have won a major battle; he will gain the total support of all Asian Communists.

It is always possible to compromise on tactical or strategic differences; a personal conflict, once it has become deep-seated, can no longer be resolved, since it is not rational.

This new phase of the struggle between the two Communist giants can greatly facilitate Western policies. It will be possible to gain Atlantic security without a war, if only we remain united, keep a realistic vision and do not give in to the temptation to hurry diplomatic decisions before the situation has matured.

Peking obviously believes that time works in its favor. It is mistaken. If we act with caution, good judgment and energy, the decisive human factor will not be an ally of the totalitarianism, but the greatest aid to the Free World.

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## The Packsack

By GREGORY CLARK

WHEN last year's federal election was announced, an old retired ward-healer wrote the Packsack offering the suggestion that the four political parties adopt jingles for use on radio and TV.

"All the big businesses," he said, "the soap corporations, the trust companies, everybody, has snappy little jingles set to lively tunes. Why not the political parties?"

As far as I know, nobody took over the idea. Maybe it came too late to be adopted. I have just had a new communication from the old retired ward-healer. He goes farther.

"Background music," he says, "is now an essential part of communication. How about background music for political speeches? Mr. Diembaizer could have organ music, a Bach fugue for instance. Mr. Pearson could use parts of Beethoven's Fifth Symphony. The Social Credit could use one of those modern atonal compositions, say by Hindemith or Stravinsky. And the National Democrats could have a good rousing Sunday school hymn, like 'Bringing in the Sheaves.' What do you think?"

I think the old retired ward-healer can't make up his mind how to vote this time.

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# Army Looks For Trouble

By CARMAN CUSHING

Indonesia with a powerful, restless military machine and no one to fight is casting increasingly hostile bars at the planned Malaysian Federation.

President Sukarno describes the union to the north, scheduled to come into effect Aug. 31, a neo-colonialist base in disguise. He has promised political and economic activity against it and has warned his army that "we still have a challenge to face."

The tone of his attacks appear to bear out fears expressed by Indonesian neighbors that Sukarno would need a new external enemy to distract his people from internal difficulties after the abrupt Dutch withdrawal from West New Guinea last fall.

Before then Indonesia had blamed its economic difficulties on the Dutch. Starting in 1961, Sukarno built up powerful armed forces to drive them from West New Guinea.

When the Dutch conceded without a fight, Sukarno was left with a strong air force and navy and an army of some 330,000 men. His government

In land area is nearly as large as Quebec. But its structure had made it almost impossible to weld it into a cohesive economic and political unit. Despite great resources the standard of living is one of the lowest in Southeast Asia.

Now Indonesian "volunteers" are reported gathering in Borneo to help free the British-held territories. This could lead to a direct clash with British troops that would have far more serious results than the quarrel with the Dutch.

## Indonesia

## Strength Listed

By EDWARD NEILAN  
From Hong Kong

Only Indonesia among the Southeast Asian nations has the natural and human resources to aspire to "great power" status.

Indonesia has the population (98,000,000 now, perhaps nearly 200,000,000 in 25 years) and the economic potential (barely exploited so far) to become a great power.

Indonesia's conventional military capacity is already considerable.

According to official spokesmen, the navy now has 40,000 men and "thousands" are training overseas in Russia, Yugoslavia, India and the United States. The navy is said to have 250 ships totalling 350,000 tons. These include the Indonesian flagship, the Irian, a Soviet-built cruiser of the Sverdlov class, which was handed over last summer.

A second cruiser is to be delivered next year. Both are designed as missile launchers but it has not been confirmed whether missiles are included in their armament. Indonesia's two Riga class frigates, also built in Russia, are believed to be equipped with ship-to-ship guided missiles.

Twenty Soviet-built submarines have been delivered. These are mainly long range, conventional-powered W class craft. There are at least seven modern destroyers, five of the Soviet Skoryi class.

The rest of the tonnage consists of motor torpedo boats, patrol craft, amphibious assault vessels and auxiliary craft.

A squadron of Soviet anti-submarine helicopters has been delivered with another expected next year.

The battery of Soviet-built ground-to-air guided missiles put on display in Djakarta in October was the subject of parliamentary debate in Australia.

The regular Indonesian air force has about 90 MIG 15 and MIG 19 jet fighters plus a

dozen supersonic MIG 21 jets. Its bombers also are Soviet built and include two dozen IL-28 turbo-jets and 10 TU-16s, a jet bomber with a range of 5,000 miles.

There are American C-130 transports, Soviet troop carriers, and a hodgepodge of B-25 and B-26 bombers, C-47 cargo planes and other smaller craft.

The army is basically a guerrilla-infantry force of about 300,000 men. Twenty of the 130 battalions are equipped with American small arms and a few elite battalions have Russian automatic rifles.

(Copley News Service)

By WILLIAM L. RYAN  
From New York

The lid may blow off this spring in the confused Caribbean Negro republic of Haiti.

If an explosion comes, say reliable sources, U.S. military action may be needed to prevent a Castro-like regime from popping up on the island of Hispaniola, only 50 miles across the strategic windward passage from Cuba.

Haiti, a turbulent dictatorship, shares Hispaniola with the Dominican Republic, itself freed recently from the Trujillo dictatorship.

Sources in touch with Port au Prince the Haitian capital, speculate that President Francois Duvalier, dictator of the French-speaking nation of 4,000,000, will leave the country suddenly, before May, with the explanation he is seeking medical treatment abroad.

The informants add that if Dr. Duvalier decides to leave, he probably will turn the government reins over to his current interior minister, Luc F. Francois.

Duvalier, 55, a physician turned politician, has survived a dozen plots since taking office in 1957 after an election denounced by his opponents as fraudulent.

Now he likely scents disaster. A general student strike against the regime is in the offing. Duvalier's secret police and militia are reported cracking down with a wave of arrests.

Reliable informants said two students were shot dead in Port

## Explosion Expected This Spring

# Haiti Cauldron on Boil



au Prince's streets Friday and that the capital is being flooded with anti-Duvalier handbills.

## Reds Court Pakistan

From Lahore, Pakistan

Communist interest in Pakistan is mounting noticeably.

A Chinese soccer team has just completed a highly successful tour of the country. Russia has proposed a 10-fold increase in trade and Poland and Czechoslovakia have offered tempting barter arrangements.

A Pakistani trade delegation will visit Peking in April. And it was recently announced that Chinese and Russian will be taught at the University of Peshawar.

(Copley News Service)

valier's militia, a semi-military organization the president uses to suppress internal opposition.

Another important arm of Duvalier's power is the plainclothes organization known as Tonton Macoute (Creole for bogymen) whose services include spying on and terrorizing any political opposition.

A struggle for power involving the army and the militia would leave the country vulnerable to operations from outside.

Sources recently in Cuba report that Communist African Negroes are there from French-speaking areas, training with exiled Haitians for infiltration into Haiti.

Pro-Castro elements inside Haiti likely would join forces quickly with the infiltrators in a strike for power. The informants report that Communists already in powerful positions would help them.

(Associated Press)

Bella Columna, Vietnam  
Thursday, Feb. 21, 1963

## Quotes

If I were a housewife, I'd rather own a Remco than a washing machine. Screen actress-art collector Martha Meyer.

Trying to popularize walking in America is like trying to popularize prohibition in Kentucky. —James Bearden.

There wouldn't be room in the Thomson organization for both of us. —Roy Thomson on Nikita Khrushchev.

One of the difficulties about scheduling television time for boxing matches is that it is not known in advance if and when one of the participants might be knocked out. —Lord Cheekam.

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SUKARNO

announced that the forces would be kept at strength as a defence against imperialism and to avoid the problems demobilization would create.

This was greeted with considerable uneasiness by neighboring powers, including Australia, which controls the eastern end of New Guinea, and Portugal, which shares with Indonesia the island of Timor, West of Java.

Within a month unrest broke out in the three British-controlled territories that share the island of Borneo with Indonesia—Brunei, Sarawak and North Borneo. The three are scheduled to join Malaya and Singapore in the Malaysian grouping.

After the December revolt in Brunei was broken by the British, investigators found that many of the insurgents had been armed and trained in Indonesia. Sukarno, while not giving overt military backing to the rebellion, publicly encouraged it.

At the root of Sukarno's troubles is the difficult task of uniting a population of nearly 100,000,000, composed of dozens of ethnic divisions and scattered over some 3,000 islands.

## LETTERS to the Editor

To be considered for publication in whole or in part letters must be on subjects of general interest, not more than 300 words in length, and, if signed with a pen-name, must be accompanied by the writer's name and address.

As a happy Canadian citizen who left Britain in 1953, may I be allowed to comment on your third editorial of Feb. 19?

In my opinion, confirmed by conversation with a number of ex-British emigrants, one cogent reason for the low level of immigration is the attitude of the Canadian immigration authorities in London. As Canada's shop window, this is calculated to deter all but the most hardy and insensitive types.

Although the walls of the premises are plastered with invitations, the reception committee are brusque to the point of rudeness, and give the impression that they could not care less where you go.

The premises are bleak

and comfortable, although one could tolerate this if it were accompanied by some warmth from the staff. My wife and I enjoyed our interview with the senior staff and the medical officer, when we with difficulty reached them, but the manners of the reception staff must lose Canada thousands of useful immigrants.

Frankly, had we not had good Canadian friends to give us the true picture, we should have abandoned all thoughts of making a home here. To my mind, this is an important point which Ottawa could scrutinize with advantage.

E. N. SCREECH,  
3930 Smugglers' Cove Road.

## Anti-Americanism

It seems there are among us a few people much concerned about anti-Americanism whereas they should be concerned about Canadianism and the loss of it.

Approximately 70 per cent of our industry is now in American hands. So the economic penetration is almost complete.

Our imbalance of trade is huge. Each Canadian buys on the average about \$230 of U.S. goods. Americans buy about \$25 of Canadian goods. The American state department by public statement interferes in Ottawa

politics, uneats a Canadian government and gets away with it.

Perhaps we need medicine. Doses of Canadianism. Strong policies and made in Ottawa. Measures to protect our magazines and CBC against Americanism.

Perhaps we need freedom from American apologists, loans and American-loving politicians with viewpoints made in Washington, whether for bombs or money.

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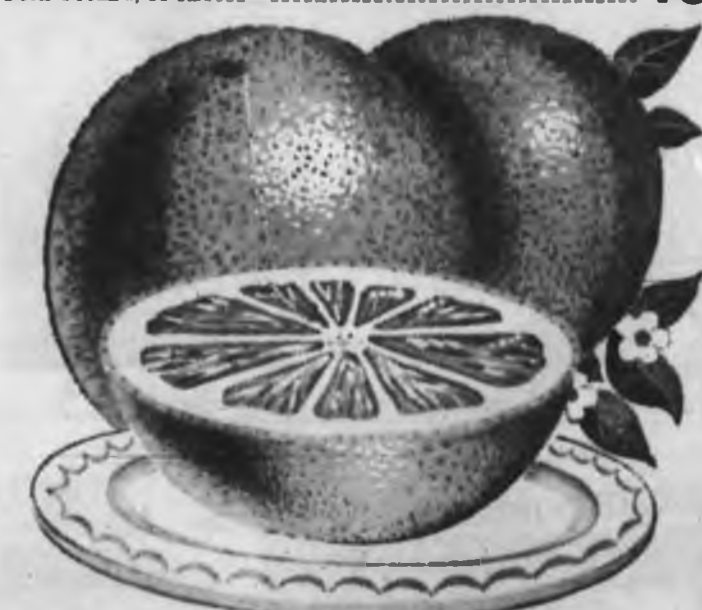
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## Levies List Still Long

OTTAWA (CP)—A wide variety of consumer goods, including cars, clothing, wine and liquor, still is subject to import surcharges following the government's newest list of levies imposed last June 24.

Almost all foods—candy is a major exception—are free of the surcharge however. Tuesday's announcement lifted it from such luxuries as pate de foie gras, quails, truffles and candied fruits.

**BEST REMAINS**  
A 10 per cent surcharge remains on imports such as clothing, cars, refrigerators, most plastic manufacturers, carpets, chocolate and sugar candy or confectionery, cut flowers, cigars and cigarettes, ale and beer, most liquor, wine, perfume and toilet preparations, silverware, cameras of a kind not made in Canada, motion picture projectors, skis and ski bindings, dolls, toys and toy electric trains.

## Research Threat Claimed

MONTREAL (CP)—One of Canada's largest drug manufacturing firms said it would be forced to end most of its research, "including that on cancer," if the proposed abolition of patent protection on drugs is adopted.

John B. Frost, president of Charles E. Frost and Company, said "If Canada is to help fight diseases it must provide incentive by adequate patent laws."

In Toronto John Turnbull, Canadian Pharmaceutical Association secretary-manager, said some report recommendations including at least Food and Drug Act regulations, were in line with some made by the association.

A spokesman for drug manufacturers said in Ottawa however, the report seems to include some statements which strike at the foundation of free enterprise in Canada.

## Negro Allowed To Form Party

SALISBURY, Southern Rhodesia (Reuters)—Justice Minister Clifford Dupont announced Wednesday the government will allow Joshua Nkomo and other Negro nationalist leaders to form a new party. Nkomo is former leader of the banned Zimbabwe African People's Union and was restricted for three months to a remote area near the Bechuanaland border after a ban on ZAPU last year.

## Brotherhood Week

In fairness to the British Israel Association, we wish the public to know our stand on matters arising out of the publication in the Victoria Press newspapers of recent date, on Brotherhood Week. We certainly do not claim that we are the only people having all the truth. We make mistakes as do everyone and every organization in the world. We do assert, however, that the Founder of Christianity warned us against evil forces appearing as angels of light. We are not saying that the founders of Brotherhood Week are other than fine people out for the good and welfare of mankind. We do maintain and teach a Brotherhood which includes those of EVERY RACE AND COLOR, of the Fatherhood of God, in Christ His Son only.

We are definitely not against Jews as such—we know some wonderful people who are Jews. We also know that there are others as well as many of our own people who are working for the destruction of the white race and the Christian faith.

We stated in the article under consideration that there is no animosity between Christians and Jews. The newspaper editorial overlooked that statement.

We, like many others, do not support the U.N. In the first place it is not a united body. Secondly, it can never be so because it is largely composed of those who are definitely against the Christian faith and are working to destroy it. The Christians can at all times, be out-voted ("if a house be divided against itself, that house cannot stand"—St. Mark 3:25).

It is still God's world and His Son paid too great a price for its continuance to allow its destruction by the forces of evil. We all need to examine the truth as given by our Lord Himself. We have in our membership those who are missionaries for the Christian faith and those who have for years worked for and among backward nations.

There are still tears among ALL the wheat and ONE tare can produce many plants.

This statement is issued by the Executive of the Victoria and District British Israel Association, 138 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C.

By CHISHOLM MacDONALD

WINNIPEG (CP)—Trade Minister Wallace McCutcheon told prairie business leaders Wednesday that Canadian producers must adopt further adjustments if they are to overcome an adverse balance of the North American market.

In an address to the prairie industrial expansion conference here, he said that as a result of its standing in non-merchandise transactions, Canada's deficit on current account still is close to \$1,600,000 annually.

### LARGE SHARE

The solution to the problem, he said, is for Canada to capture a larger share of Canadian and the United States markets.

Canada's adverse balance on current account with the U.S. last year totalled \$53,000,000, he said. Such a deficit should be overcome by an increase in overseas exports.

### IMPORT AGENTS

Officials of Northern Electric Company Limited told the 400 delegates that too many Canadian companies act as import agents rather than produce Canadian goods and thus deprive the country of maximum employment.

C. A. Peachey, vice-president of the company, said his firm in 1956 started a "buy-Canadian" drive which has resulted in increased company profit and more full-time employment.

### 15,000 PARTS

Mr. Peachey said of the 15,000 different parts and compo-

nents used in 1956 by his firm, some 8,000 in 9,000 were imported from foreign countries.

His company, he said, set up a "do-it-yourself program" assisted by engineering, production sales and purchasing representation.

After six years, about \$1,000,000 worth of work has been transferred to Canada, resulting in additional full-time employment for 1,600 persons.

### THREE CENTS

Company operations manager H. Langlois said one piece of material of which the company uses 20,000 each year costs 20 cents when imported. Manufactured in Canada, it costs the company three cents.

Beta Columnist, Victoria  
Thursday, Feb. 21, 1963

## Canadians Go Wild On Cars

OTTAWA (UPI)—Motor vehicle sales hit an all-time Canadian high last year of 506,012 units, a 14.6-per-cent increase over 1961 and 12 per cent higher than the previous record in 1960, the Bureau of Statistics said Wednesday.

Retail sales value increased 15 per cent to a record high of \$1,784,400,000. Sales of Canadian and U.S. vehicles totalled 507,016 units, up from 404,371. Sales of overseas makes dropped 36.3 per cent from 107,306 units to 78,504.

# 'Keep Present Arms'

## Grit Aide In Race



LESTER PEARSON  
... made effective

OTTAWA (CP)—Liberal Leader Pearson said Wednesday that for some time ahead Canada must and will retain its present weapons and it is essential they be made effective.

Mr. Pearson said in a statement that "our opponents say a Liberal government would accept nuclear weapons today and get rid of them tomorrow."

"This is not our policy. No responsible person would suggest such a course. Now, and for some time ahead, we must, and we will, retain the weapons that we have. It is essential, therefore, that they be made effective."

He said that by the end of 1962 the aircraft rockets and missiles involved in the government's commitment to accept nuclear weapons had been

delivered and the time for a decision had arrived.

"But no decision was made. So these weapons stand useless because the government of our country refused to accept the nuclear ammunition which is necessary to make them effective."

He said there is only one thing to do—"take the ammunition with the weapons and honor our commitment."

VANCOUVER (UPI)—

Tom Keat, 48, a senior aide to Liberal leader Lester Pearson, will be the Liberal candidate against New Democratic Party leader T. C. Douglas in the Burraby-Coquitlam riding in the April 8 election. It was learned Wednesday.

## SANDS Funeral Chapels

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3/8" V-Groove \$3.87

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A modern light brown in color  
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Very, very low price \$9.95

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HUNDREDS OF SHEETS OF GREY PEARL AND RED PEARL

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Grey Fiberglass pattern, 12"x12", EACH 14c

SATIN COAT WHITE PER SQUARE FOOT 12 1/2c

## PLASTIC WALL TILES

Cleans easily  
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Beautifully your bath  
Easy to install yourself  
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Stock Up NOW

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9 a.m. Soap and Grab \$3.95  
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6 p.m. Weldwood Glue, small tin 25c  
7 p.m. Jobi Hangers each 18c

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## Beef Chuck Roast or Round Bone Roast

Finest Quality Canadian Grain-Fed, Government-Inspected and Graded Beef. Properly aged, trimmed before weighing, truly superb. An economical pot roast.  
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**45<sup>c</sup>**  
lb.

**Beef Short Ribs** lb. **39<sup>c</sup>**  
For braising, Canada Choice, Canada Good

**Freezer Special!**  
**Beef Hindquarters**  
Top quality Steer Beef, cut and wrapped—  
Canada Choice, Canada Good. Grade **A lb. 59<sup>c</sup>**

**Cross Rib** Roast Beef lb. **69<sup>c</sup>**  
Canada Choice, Canada Good  
**Pot Roast** Boned and Rolled, Plate and Brisket Beef lb. **65<sup>c</sup>**  
Canada Choice, Canada Good

## Fruit Drinks Kernel Corn

Empress,  
Apple, Orange or  
Grape, 48-oz. tin

**3 for 79<sup>c</sup>**

Clappison's,  
Choice, Frozen

**2 -lb. 39<sup>c</sup>**  
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## Chocolate Bars

Cadbury's, Ganong's,  
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Lucerne Bonus Quality  
**Fresh Milk**  
**47<sup>c</sup>**  
Homogenized. Minimum 3.5% but-  
terfat. 1/2-gallon carton

**Special 900** Daily Diet, Vanilla or Chocolate, quart ctn. **69c**  
**2-10 Milk** 2% Butterfat, 10% Milk Solids, half gal. ctn. **43c**  
**Cottage Cheese** Creamed, Pasteurized, Regular or Farmer style, 16-oz. carton **23c**

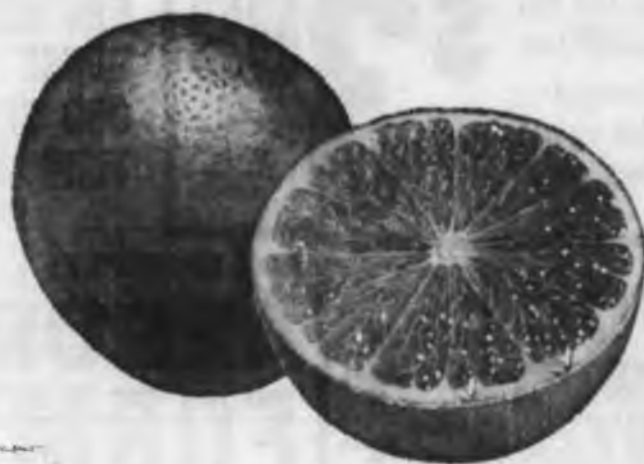
## Ice Milk

Lucerne Party Pride  
A low-fat dairy dessert. Vanilla  
or Triple-Treat flavors **3 pt. 45<sup>c</sup>**  
ctn.

Ye Olde English

**Butter Horns** **39<sup>c</sup>**  
Fresh—Package of 6,  
Reg. 49c, Special

**Cracked Wheat Loaf** Skylark, fresh, 2 **37c**  
delicious toasted, 16-oz. sliced loaf  
**Fresh Bread** Pilly Ann, White or Brown, sliced or unsliced, 16-oz. loaf 2 **37c**



## California Navel ORANGES

Fresh, Sweet  
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**5 lbs. 89<sup>c</sup>**

Add a bright touch to any meal . . . for Juicing, Slicing, the  
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**No. 1 Bananas** Fresh, Plump Fruit **4 lbs. 69<sup>c</sup>**  
A family favorite—  
A quick, easy dessert

## Safeway Fresh Eggs

Kept Cool from Farm to You

**Large** Lucerne Grade **A doz. 53c**  
**Large** Breakfast Gems, Grade **A doz. 51c**  
**Medium** Breakfast Gems, Grade **A doz. 48c**

**Head Lettuce** 2 for **25<sup>c</sup>**  
California. Fresh, firm for salads, etc. Each

**Fresh Tomatoes** **25<sup>c</sup>**  
Imported. Red-ripe, slice for salad, sandwiches, etc. 14-oz. ctn.

**New Potatoes** 5 lbs. **49<sup>c</sup>**  
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## Pork Loin

Roast—Boneless

Top quality grain fed, Government Inspected Pork. Roast to a crisp, golden brown. Serve with apple rings or applesauce. Any size,

**lb. 79<sup>c</sup>**



## Casino Tea Bags

Refreshing.  
Package of 100

**69<sup>c</sup>**

## Creamed Honey

Empress  
Pure, No. 1, 48 fl. oz. tin

**99<sup>c</sup>**

## Tuna Fish

Savoy

Fancy Light Meat, 6 1/2-oz. tin

**2 for 39<sup>c</sup>**

## Clark's Soup

Tomato or Vegetable,  
10-oz. tin

**8 for \$1.00**

## Soda Crackers

Busy Baker

Foil wrapped for freshness—  
Plain or Salted, 16-oz. pkg.

**33<sup>c</sup>**

## Fruit Cocktail

Libby's Fancy, 15-oz. tin

**2 for 49<sup>c</sup>**

## Pineapple

Savoy

Sliced or Crushed, 20-oz. tin

**4 for 99<sup>c</sup>**

## Scott Tissue

White or  
Colored

**8 rolls 79<sup>c</sup>**

Cream Corn	Libby's Fancy, 15-oz. tin	4 for	59c
Sliced Beets	Libby's Choice, 20-oz. tin		22c
Sauerkraut	Libby's, 15-oz. tin	2 for	39c
Baked Beans	Libby's, 15-oz. tin	2 for	47c
Spaghetti	Libby's, in tomato sauce, 15-oz. tin	2 for	43c
Sandwich Pickles	Libby's, 16-oz. jar		31c
Crispy Critters	Post's, 10-oz. pkg.		35c
Minute Rice	14-oz. pkg.		49c
Chocolate Quik	Nestle's, 1-lb. pkg.		65c

Sweet Biscuits	David's, 44-1 pack, 43-oz. pkg.		98c
Sole Margarine	Top Quality, 2-lb. block		49c
Gold Star Molasses	Crown's Extra Fancy Barbados, 2-lb. tin		52c
Ovaltine	Plain or Chocolate, 12-oz. jar		87c
Bleach	French Maid, 64-oz. plastic		39c
Jergon's Lotion	8-oz. bottle		65c
Dog Food	Dr. Bellard's, Assorted, 15-oz. tin	6 for	55c
Dog Meal	Galena, 10-lb. bag with one extra pound free		\$1.75
Dog Food	Gravy Train, 3-lb. pkg.		65c

## Pancake Flour

Aunt Jemima—Regular, Buckwheat or  
Buttermilk, 3 1/2-lb. bag

## Pancake Syrup

Empress—Good for waffles, too.  
44-oz. bottle

**98<sup>c</sup>**

Both for



Swanson's

## TV Dinners

**69<sup>c</sup>**

Assorted meat varieties, each

Oatmeal Cookies	Dad's, 10-oz. pkg.	31c
McCormick's Snackers	8-oz. pkg.	29c
Vitalis Hair Tonic	4-oz. bottle	69c
Aero Wax	Clear Paste Wax, 1-lb. tin	65c
Hand Lotion	Nezema, With Free Diaper, 6.3-oz. bottle	69c

## SILVIKRIN SHAMPOO

**\$1.19**

With Free Fashion Flair Hair Brush,  
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Cheese  
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Canadian Cheddar	Berkshire, B.C. mild, lb.	49c
Monterey Jack	Safeway, product of U.S.A., lb.	95c
Dutch Edam	Berkshire, mild flavor, lb.	93c
Swiss Cheese	Safeway, nut-like flavor, lb.	\$1.09
Danish Tilsit	Safeway, Old-World flavor, lb.	95c
Italian Mozzarella	Safeway, ideal for pizza, lb.	89c
Camembert Cheese	Product of Germany, 4 1/2-oz. pkg.	55c

### Scot Towels

White or Colored,  
Pkg. of 2 rolls

**49c**

### Wax Paper

Cut-Rite Refills,  
100' roll

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### Toothpaste

Crest, with Fluoristan

Giant

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Economy

tube

**59c**

**89c**

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**Spaghetti** 10¢  
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ALLEN'S 48-oz.

**Chicken** 2 tins 49¢  
BONUS, Boneless 4-oz.

**Salad Dressing** 49¢  
DELBROOK 32-oz. jar

**Bleach** 39¢  
DAINTY, plastic bottle 64-oz.

**Fruit Cocktail** 2 tins 39¢  
HUNT'S 15-oz.

**Ripe Peas** 10¢  
FRASER FARM 15-oz.

**Tomatoes** 2 tins 39¢  
NABOB 20-oz.

**Pork and Beans** 10¢  
CHELSEA, in Tomato Sauce 15-oz. tin

**Corn** 2 for 39¢  
NIBLET, whole kernel 14-oz.

## Soup Mix

Chicken Noodle, Tomato-Veg. 4 pkts. 49¢  
Lipton's

## Corn Flakes

Kellogg's, 16-oz. 3 for \$1.00

## Ice Cream

Hostess, pint 37¢

## Peanut Brittle

Squirrel, 15-oz. pkt., each 43¢

## Dust Pans

All metal, each 39¢

## Iced Bear Claws

McGavin's, reg. 28¢, pkt. 25¢

**Frying Chicken** 39¢  
Govt. Inspected, whole, Grade A, 15-lb.

**Frying Chicken** 49¢  
Tray Pack, Govt. Inspected, 15-lb.

**Cottage Rolls** 79¢  
Smoked, 1/2's

**Bacon** 79¢  
Wiltshire, Rindless, Side, 1-lb. pkt.

**Cooked Meat** 2 for 49¢  
Wiltshire Table Ready, Chicken, 6-oz.; Pickle and Pimento, 6-oz.; Cheese, 6-oz.; Bologna, 8-oz.

## Sausage

Pure Pork, Clearbrook Farm, 1-lb. pkt., each 55¢

## Cod Fillets

Fresh True Cod, Govt. Inspected, 1-lb. 39¢

Chocolate Bars 2 33¢  
Nelson's, family

Borateen 65¢  
20 Mule Team, 14¢ Off, 55-oz.

Detergent 88¢  
Vel Liquid, 7¢ Off, 24-oz.

Tooth Paste 59¢  
Crest, Giant

Toilet Soap 10 89¢  
Palmolive

Shampoo 1" 1" 1"  
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Cleanser 30¢  
Ajax, 4¢ Off

Cake Mix 2 pks. 29¢  
Monarch, 10-oz.

Strawberries 2 59¢  
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Raspberries 2 59¢  
Purity Frozen, 13-oz.

Peas 2 39¢  
Delnor, 13-oz.

**Oranges** 4 -lb. bag 69¢  
Mexican Juice

**Tomatoes** basket 29¢  
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**Peas** 29¢  
Green, Mexican, 1-lb.

**Carrots** 29¢  
Imported, Snokist, 2-lb. cello bag each

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Willie Mays signed a contract for more than \$100,000 with San Francisco Giants yesterday. Only three others, Joe DiMaggio, Stan Musial and Ted Williams, ever received a similar amount.

# Toronto Juggles Lineup Defeats Canadiens, 2-1

By THE CANADIAN PRESS  
Manager-coach Punch Imlach of Toronto Maple Leafs did some lineup-juggling Wednesday night and made it pay off as Bob Pulford scored both Toronto goals in a 2-1 National Hockey League victory over Montreal Canadiens.

Meanwhile at New York, Boston Bruins salvaged a 3-3 tie with New York Rangers on rookie Bob Leiter's deflection shot late in the third period. The deadlock kept the last-place Bruins four points behind the fifth-place Rangers.

By winning at Toronto the Leafs jockeyed past Montreal into second place, one point up

on the Canadiens and three behind first-place Chicago Black Hawks.

But it may have been a costly victory. High-scoring left-winger Frank Mahovlich limped from the ice in the second period and

of the last period came on a tip-in off a long shot by Doug Mohn.

The Rangers had gone ahead 3-2 late in the second period on Andy Bathgate's 25th goal. Camille Henry's 24th goal on a power play gave New York a 1-0 lead in the opening period only to have Wayne Hicks even the score for Boston less than two minutes later with the Rangers shorthanded.

Vic Hadfield's first goal of the year, a 15-foot backhand, put the Rangers back in front 2-1 at the end of the period. Tommy Williams netted his 21st goal, converting a pass from Murray Oliver, to draw the Bruins even again 2-2 at 6:44 of the second period.

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### Find the Goalie

Forbes Kennedy of Boston Bruins sails over Camille Henry of New York Rangers after Henry's shot was blocked in NHL game in New York.

Partly visible is Boston goalie Ed Johnston, who deflected puck, upper left. Game ended in 3-3 tie.—(AP Photofax)

# Globetrotters Fill Up Arena Send Fans Home Laughing

By JIM TANG

Harlem Globetrotters have done it again. Returning to Victoria after a too-lengthy absence, they packed 5,208 customers into Memorial Arena last night.

It may not be much to the world's best-known athletic organization—a team that has played before more fans in more countries than any team in any sport and can boast of crowds of more than 75,000

in Berlin, 50,041 in Rio de Janeiro, 39,000 and 31,000 in Sofia and 36,236 in Los Angeles—but it's a long time for any team that many Victorians gathered together. And the Globetrotters will do it again whenever they return.

So successful that one team couldn't possibly begin to fill demands for its appearance, the Globetrotters now have three teams touring the world—the Eastern, Western and Southern Globetrotters.

It was the Western team that was here last night, and if it was any less entertaining than the original team, it wasn't at all discernable.

There was the same old formula—flashes of calibre basketball, plenty of clowning and amazing ball-handling and half-time vaudeville of at least the same calibre as the basketball entertainment it enhanced. And they're still selling "Sweet Georgia Brown," the club's theme song to young record-collectors. And still doing a land-office business there, too.

### TALENT THERE

Although most of the time was given to comedy and ball-handling the basketball talent was there last night—on both clubs.

With the Globetrotters was J. C. Gipson, a 12-year veteran with the organization; Connie Hawkins, an all-time great at the University of Iowa who led the defunct American Basketball League in scoring last season with 2,165 points, and Al Stitt, a little newcomer who is the dribbler, and a good one, which all Globetrotter teams feature.

The All Stars seldom, perhaps never, win but when a touch of serious basketball is needed to round out the show, the Globetrotters do have calibre opposition.

### GREAT SHOT

For the record, the Globetrotters won last night, 82-76, with Gipson scoring 25 points, many of them with his has-to-be-seen-to-be-appreciated hook shot. His effort was duplicated by Jeff Cohen, a 6'7" centre who played with Chicago Majors in the ABL.

The exact record isn't available but the score now for Globetrotter teams is something like 7,400 victories in about 7,700 games and about 50,000,000 enthralled fans.

# Trail Asks CAHA For More Players

Trail, B.C. (CP)—Andy Soles, president of Trail Smoke Eaters, Canada's representative in world hockey competition this year, said Wednesday he has asked the Canadian Amateur Hockey Association for player help.

Smokies, on the exhibition trail prior to the championship, bowed 3-2 in Brno, Czechoslovakia, Wednesday to the Czech national team.

Soles said in an interview he has asked for forward Reg Abbott of Winnipeg and defenceman Jack Douglas and forward Bobby Brown of Windsor, Ont.

He said the CAHA also was considering other players, but declined to name them.

Of Wednesday's loss, Soles said: "We are not disappointed. They were playing a good team and we still haven't got our full team there yet."

Forward Jackie McLeod of Saskatoon Quakers will join the club later.

Weakened by injury, Oak Bay barely made a 6-0 first-half lead stand up to win, 6-5, and move a point ahead of tide Victoria. In yesterday's other game, Mount View remained

in the thick of the race for first place by blanking Esquimalt, 3-0.

Trys by Jim Ogilvie and Rick Higgins gave Oak Bay a 6-0 lead but the Bays could do nothing more and Mt. Douglas, playing its best game of the season, just about made it as a winner. Brian Copeland went over in the second half and Harold Burton's conversion left the difference a single point.

A second-half try by Mike Harriott provided the only points in the other game, played at Esquimalt.

In an exhibition match at Victoria High, the home side rolled over Charlmont, 21-8.



## VIEWS of SPORT

By Red Smith

Bogart Rogers, an agreeable gentleman distinguished in the literary world as the brother of Adeline Rogers St. John, checks in with a question which he admits is impertinent. "I put it casually to Joe Williams at lunch. He said, 'Don't ask me. Ask Red Smith.' So—

"It is a statistical fact that there are more Smiths than any other name in the world. More Smiths than Joneses, Browns or Robinsons, including Robinsons and Robinsons. In the Manhattan phone book the Smiths beat the Cohens by more than two full pages.

"But in the records of athletic prowess, where are the Smiths? Exhaustive research through Menke, the World Almanac, the Harvard and Princeton clubs, the library of Triangle Publications, etc., fails to turn up a single champion, man or beast, named Smith.

"They hold no records—not even with the fiberglass pole. No ex- or current world champions. No Smith has ever ridden a Derby winner. There are no Smiths in baseball's Hall of Fame. Jones was the historic golfer, not Smith. Sugar Ray is a Robinson, not a Smith. Automobile racing, chess, single-aquila, wrestling, target shooting, toss-the-beanbag—show me a Smith, a gold-medal, diamond-studded-belt Smith.

"There were runners-up, semi-finalists, future book favorites, losers by a nose, tripped-over-the-last-hurdle, and perhaps disqualified-and-placed-third Smiths. Doubtless one or two of them through the years were named to All-America football teams, but is that a distinction?

"Why is this with the Smiths, Mr. Smith? So many, many, many of them, but nary a champion. Is it something with their genes? Do they lack the killer instinct? Might it be an inherent physical deficiency? Are they musclebound? Or can't they hit the curve ball? Or is it, possibly, that they just don't care?"

### Sugar Ray Smith

Impertinent, Bogey? The question is scandalous. How exhaustive, or exhausted, could research have been which didn't turn up the fact that Sugar Ray Robinson, five times middleweight champion of the world, was christened Walker Smith?

Could it be there wasn't a fight ball at that lunch table with the remembered Gunboat Smith, Mildred Smith, Myrtle Smith, Solly Smith, or Wallace Bud Smith, every one a champion of some sort, if only a White Hope or interim champion?

True, there are no Smiths currently clearing 16 feet with the fiberglass pole. True also, some Smiths are yellow. But in 1948 Guinn Smith, survivor of 18 months of combat flying, competed with unsmiling valor in the London Olympics, against the advice of doctors who had thumbed his torn knee cartilage, and won the gold medal with a manly vault of 16 feet, 14 inches.

One or two Smiths on All-America teams? Bogey baby, there were dozens. To be sure, it took Walter Camp 10 years to get around to the family, and the first to get his attention, Army's William Driscoll Smith, only made the third team.

After that came the Smithian hordes, Catfish and Big Clipper and Little Clipper and Zeke, and how about Minnesota's Bruce, the Heisman Trophy winner of 1941? In the football Hall of Fame, Southern Cal's Larry made it as a player, old Andy Smith as a coach.

### On and On It Goes

Joe Reichler's Encyclopedia of Baseball lists no fewer than 87 Smiths in the major league, not counting the shirtil breeds named Smyth, Smythe, Schmidt and Schmitz. On and on the litany goes—Horton Smith, Silent Tom who trained Seabiscuit, F. A. Smith who won the Preakness and Belmont aboard Bimelech and could have taken the Triple Crown if he hadn't of rode like a Chinaman in the Kentucky Derby.

From Joe Brooker, of the Washington Post, comes a timely note. "The horse, Red Smith, is getting as popular as Carry Back; he's writing letters to racing secretaries now. At Charles Town, Red Smith won the fourth race and there were three claims for him. In the shake Isaac Isaac took him for \$2,500, a rare bargain indeed.

"I'm enclosing a letter received by Mr. Leavitt, general manager and racing secretary at Shenandoah Downs." The enclosure:

"Good morning, Mr. Leavitt: We three-year-olds like your very nice race track just fine, but how come nobody is writing us any good races. Like maybe—

"ALLOWANCE PURSE: Big and Fat. For three-year-olds, non-winners of a race other than maiden or claiming. One mile or one mile and 70 yards or one mile and one-sixteenth.

"With best wishes from your true friend,

"Red Smith,

"Mr. C. (1980) by Saggy."

Okay, Bogey, and Roy and Buddy and Buck. You Rogerses got any horses that can write?"

# Fashoway Scores 544 To Tie Maurice Richard

Winger, gave him a lifetime total of 544 goals, 472 of them scored in the Western Hockey League. Richard's 544 were all scored in the National Hockey League.

The tie cut the Buckaroos lead in the Southern Division to three points, the second-place San Francisco Seals gaining a point by defeating Vancouver Canucks, 4-2, in San Francisco.

Attendance in Edmonton was 1,887 fans, in San Francisco 7,429 fans.

### Rebels Win

Metropolitan Rebels defeated Duncan, 13-24, in the first game



# Bitter Feuds Heat O.C. Soccer Scene

LONDON (Special) — English football's "grand design" for a 1964 world cup victory has received a big setback by a return to bitter feuding between the game's two chief administrators—the unshakable Football Association and the immovable Football League.

A pledge to bury the hatchet and work together in the interests of country, not club, when Alf Ramsey was appointed "dictator" of English football six months ago, has soon been forgotten in view of more personal interests.

## NEWEST BIFT

The release of players for international matches has caused the new—and widening—rift between two groups which together must solve a situation many observers believe they have allowed to get completely out of hand. It has arisen because of an eight-week freeze-up that has wrecked both league and cup schedules.

Frustrations from repeated postponement of more than 350 games since last December have swept all levels of the 92-team league and caused breaches that are becoming more difficult to repair.

## LITTLE EFFORT

Several managers have lost their jobs, clubs have been accused of making little effort to clear snow-covered grounds, referees have been criticized for allowing games to be played and one of the nation's top game officials has quit.

League secretary Alan Hardaker started the unrest when

he delivered a stinging attack on the F.A. for complicating the backlog of postponed games and refusing to switch international tours and commitments at home.

## F.A. ACCUSED

Indirectly asking for a further extension in the league season, Hardaker accused the F.A. of making it "impossible" for clubs to complete their schedule during a two-week extension already agreed.

Clubs were also faced by the handicap of alleged F.A. refusal to release players selected for international at a time when the league will be desperately trying to complete its schedule. Some teams will face three and four games a week.

## TIME HERE

"The time has come for a hard, realistic view to be taken of an abnormal situation," Hardaker said. "It is time

someone decided to push precedent aside and see how best to cope with difficulties which affect the F.A. just as much as the league."

Stunned F.A. officials would only say the continuing freeze-up may create a "new situation" that will force new arrangements. But they are known to oppose any adjustment in tours by England and the under-23s scheduled in mid-May. They are also adamant that clubs release players for the tours even if engaged in crucial games to decide league championship or relegation positions.

## RIGHTS WAIVED

F.A. officials have also ordered league clubs to complete postponed third and fourth-round cup games by a certain date even when it was obvious grounds would not be fit in some areas by the deadline. The F.A. waived the right

of league clubs to pick their dates and also the right to wait a week between a draw and a replay.

League president Joe Richards joined the controversy by attacking league clubs for not attempting to make their grounds playable. He said there was "some doubt" that all clubs were doing every thing possible to clear their grounds.

## TOO EXPENSIVE

Some clubs were quick to reply, freely admitting they were making little attempt because they couldn't afford it or it wasn't worth the effort. Snow-clearing efforts, many of them unsuccessful, have already cost teams an estimated \$200,000.

Outspoken Cardiff manager George Swindon, who has pressed for a complete shut-down until the situation improves, said: "We have spent

nothing because we cannot afford to."

"What is the point of spending a thousand pounds when in next to no time we are back in the same position?" he added.

Referees have come under fire for refusing to call off games for enough in advance and passing as fit grounds that players and the management considered were dangerous.

But Peterborough complained because the referee postponed a game on a pitch they considered playable after heavy expense to clear ice and snow. As a protest, they played a friendly game with amateurs Cambridge United and were sharply rebuked by both league and the F.A.

## BRI CASUALTY

The biggest managerial casualty was Bob Denison, sacked after nine years at second-division Middlesbrough—the 47th victim in two years. His replacement is one-time England star Ralph Carter, who was guiding fourth-division Mansfield Town to promotion.

Referee Gilbert Pollin quit the league after 11 years after receiving a severe censure and warning following an investigation into remarks he made to Manchester United forward Denis Law at the start of a game last December.

Even Scotland has failed to avoid controversy and a league management scheme for shutting down in the winter and playing the bulk of games during summer months has split the 37 clubs wide open. Glasgow's seven league clubs, sparred by Rangers, have strongly opposed the scheme, apparently favored by a majority of the clubs, and there is speculation they will quit if the proposal is approved.

## Battle Royal On Saturday

Saturday night's professional wrestling card at Memorial Arena has a 12-man over-the-ropes battle royal as its main feature.

Involved are Haystack Calhoun, Gene Kiniski, Kinji Shibuya, Mitsuo Arakawa, Dandy Dan Miller, Sandor Kovacs, Cowboy Carlson, George Kosti, Mr. X, Seymour Koenig, Eric Frolch and Judy Jack Terry.

First of five preliminary bouts start at 8:15.

## RACING NEWS ON PAGE 28

## Heated Highbury in Cards

LONDON (AP) — An English soccer club said Wednesday it is investing \$33,600 in an underground heating system that will keep its playing field free of ice and snow.

Bob Wall, secretary of the Arsenal Club, said the work

will be done at Highbury Stadium this summer. He said it will make the field playable in all sorts of weather.

Tottenham Hotspur, Arsenal's neighbor in north London, said it also planned to try the heating system.

Murrayfield, a Rugby Union stadium in Edinburgh, Scotland, uses an underground heating system. Games have been played there this winter despite bitter weather conditions that forced postponements in other places.

## THE PALMER METHOD

### HOW HARD THE SWING?



You fans all know, I hope, that I advise "hitting hard" — when the time is right.

Illustration #1 shows pretty good form, but you can tell by his legs that the golfer isn't putting his all into the shot.

In illustration #2, note that although the clubhead is in about the same position as the first, the golfer's legs are active and leaning toward the target.

The ball has been hit hard in illustration #3. The left leg is braced to take the shock of the follow-through, while only the toe of the right foot remains grounded.

Once you get used to swinging hard, you can tell just how much effort you can put out and still keep a smooth stroke.

by Arnold Palmer

THE POCKET READY FOR GOLF ALIGNMENT SENT IN PLUS STAMPED RETURN ENVELOPE TO ARNOLD PALMER, C/O THIS NEWSPAPER.

## High Seas Spying Spiced Yacht Race

SYDNEY, Australia (AP)—A cloak-and-dagger drama that would do credit to any wartime spy story was carried on behind the scenes in last year's thrilling America's Cup yacht race.

This was disclosed Saturday by a member of Gretel's crew, who broke five months of silence to tell of the unsuccessful Australian campaign to capture the famous old trophy from the United States. Both the Australian and American crews carried on an intense war of wits trying to steal each other's racing secrets, Frank McNulty wrote in one of a series of articles in the Sydney Sun.

Gretel, like a long list of preceding challengers, was licked by Weatherly, the U.S. defender, off Newport, R.I., last September, four race victories to one.

## Navy Bonspiel Gives Ladies Right to Play

Annual bonspiel of the Royal Canadian Navy (Pacific Command) Curling Club will be held March 15-17 at Esquimalt Municipal Centre and, for the first time, will be open to qualified lady curlers.

The bonspiel is now open to all members of the RCN and Army and Air Force personnel attached to the naval service as well as to RCN club members and associates and RCN pensioners.

Entry fee is \$24 a rink and there will be four games assured each rink in the four events. Entries should be sent either to Lieut.-Cmdr. Norman, local 530, or LS Emberton, 384-8944.

## O.C. Soccer

LONDON (Special)—Results of the only soccer matches played in Britain Wednesday night.

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59 FORD "Galaxie" Sedan—Automatic, radio, beige \$1495



57 OLDS "Holiday" Sedan—Automatic, radio, power steering, brakes, two-tone grey \$1495



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## Trailing Trio To Play Off For One Spot

Dormans, Victoria Health and Painters, who finished for fourth place in the Independent Athletic Association's basketball league, will play off for the fourth playoff position this week.

Standings of IAA leagues:

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# Larger Stockpile Ruled in Case Of Nuclear Attack

OTTAWA (CP)—Plans are being drawn up to extend the stockpiling of emergency medical supplies to be used in case of nuclear attack on Canada, it was learned Wednesday.



Frigate's Boss

Native Victorian Lt.-Cmdr. Charles Edmund Leighton has been appointed skipper of HMCS Lauzon, Halifax-based frigate of Ninth Canadian Escort Squadron. Prior to his new appointment he was executive officer of destroyer-escort HMCS Chaudiere.

From UBC

## World Students Rotary Guests

## Mexican Students Expected

Victoria University will play host to 11 Mexican students for four weeks in December.

The proposed visit is being planned as a result of the success of last month's two-day visit to the campus by 12 Mexican students, student council president Alfred Peterson says.

Immediately after that visit, Mr. Peterson wrote to Mrs. Barbara Gomez, executive director of the Experiment in International Living, the group which sponsors the visits, asking if it would be possible for Victoria University to host a group in the coming year.

### POSITIVE ANSWER

Mrs. Gomez replied immediately in the affirmative and said the cost would be borne by the Experiment in International Living.

The Mexican students will live with university students so they may get a good idea of family life and Canadian customs.

Victoria students will be asked to billet the visitors.

## Long Strike Comes to End

VANCOUVER (CP) — A seven-month-old strike at a Canada Metal Ltd. plant has been settled.

A memorandum of agreement was signed by representatives of the company and the Molders' Union (CLC) and later ratified by both the firm and the union membership. Details were not given.

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**FACT** The difference in the price of gasoline between Vancouver and other points in the province is in some instances greater than it used to be. This is not because Imperial's prices at these other points have gone up—on the contrary, they have gone down—but because the Vancouver price is unreasonably low. More than 40 per cent of the cars in the province are in the Vancouver area. This type of concentrated large volume market attracts price cutters—not only in gasoline but in other commodities. These discounters need very little investment. The result has been gasoline price wars over the past three years which have taken prices down to abnormally low levels.

**FACT** Sales to governments and other bulk purchasers are commonly made at lower prices than sales to motorists—as is done in nearly every industry. A man who buys a side of beef for his freezer expects a lower price than the man who makes individual purchases by the pound. These sales are cheaper to make. Selling gasoline to governments or truck fleets, for instance, requires no outlay for dealer distribution or marketing. Bulk customers do not pay the dealer markup, and if they are exempt from the provincial gasoline tax and federal sales tax, their price is that much lower again.

**FACT** Imperial Oil's percentage return on investment in B.C. has steadily declined over the past five years — despite increased efficiency. Imperial's loco refinery near Vancouver serves most of the province. Over this whole area, the company's return on investment in the refinery, distribution plants, service stations and other facilities has fallen from 6.6 per cent in 1957 to 4.1 per cent in 1962. Exorbitant? Far from it; this is a mighty low return by any recognized business standard.

**FACT** Imperial Oil is not part of, or party to, any monopoly or combine. And it knows of none in the oil industry. The facts speak for themselves. What monopoly would engage in price wars and reduce its profits? What monopoly would voluntarily pass on to customers savings from such things as lower costs of raw materials and freight, as Imperial has done?

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## Royal Visit March 27

VANCOUVER (CP)—Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip are to spend 15 minutes here March 27 on their return from the Royal tour of Australia and New Zealand. The refuelling stop of the BOAC jetliner is slated for from 9:10 to 9:35 p.m. at Vancouver International Airport, weather permitting.

## Man Held

# Profanity Directed At Queen

ADELAIDE (Reuters)—Police said Wednesday a man has been charged with using indecent language Tuesday at Queen Elizabeth and Prince Philip drove through Adelaide during their Australian tour.

Police said that as the royal couple drove from Adelaide airport the man ran toward the royal car shouting indecent language.

He was arrested immediately.

MELBOURNE (Reuters)—The Melbourne Age quotes a senior Adelaide police officer as saying crowds at Wednesday's royal garden party in Adelaide behaved like "mad dogs."

Elegantly dressed women pushed and shoved to within "touching distance" of the Queen and her husband, Prince Philip. Hats were knocked off, shoes were broken and stockings torn as many of the 10,000 guests surged forward the newspaper says.

MARGOONED—

The Age says that at one stage the queen was practically surrounded in a restaurant circle in the midst of a surging sea of people in the 90-degree heat. The prince was isolated some distance away.

The Queen, however, never lost her composure and continued to chat with those closest to her and ignored the hundreds pushing from the rear. The Age says.

Philip also seemed relaxed and unconcerned.

## Margaret Kept Busy

LONDON (UPI)—Princess Margaret, whose Paris trip was cancelled after France vetoed Britain's bid to join the Common Market, took part Wednesday in the state duties which officially kept her here.

The princess, acting as a counselor of state in Queen Elizabeth's absence, attended a Privy Council session to deal with "routine business."

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# Hole in Her Heart Saved Karina's Life

By DON MATHESON

Karina Marie is a white-blond, blue-eyed, rosy-cheeked, spunky, inquisitive, fingers-into-everything, normally active 16-month-old baby girl.

She also has a hole in her heart.

In a curiously unique reverse twist of circumstances, she probably would not be alive today if she didn't have a hole in her heart.

It was all that kept her alive before an infinitely more serious deformity of her tiny heart was discovered and corrected.

She is unique in another way.

Her mother, the equally vivacious 22-year-old wife of Michael Willard, 5983 West Saanich Road, now on a petty officer's training course at HMCS Naden, explained why.

It's a fascinating account of how modern medicine, with intensive research into diagnostic and operative techniques, can save a small life.

Mrs. Willard is emphatic about one fact.

"Karina wouldn't be alive today if it hadn't been for donations to the Heart Fund to make the research possible."

In a current drive running through Feb. 28, the B.C. Heart Foundation seeks \$35,000 of a \$200,000 B.C. objective. Research took 68.2 per cent of 1962's budget.

Just after her birth, Mrs. Willard explained, Karina breathed in tiny, panting puff-puffs, never drawing a deep breath. Whether it hurt is not known.



Karina Marie... heart with a hole

## Victoria Girl Tribute to Research

But her first operation showed that every deep breath, swallow or movement cut off the supply of blood to her lower body. Even so, every fourth second no blood flowed for one second.

Her heart, briefly, had five sections instead of four, an extra piece of artery going to the wrong place, and a vein that shouldn't have been there at all. Just the hole inside her

heart kept her alive as it leaked enough blood, one-sixth of a normal supply, into proper channels to carry life-giving oxygen to her body cells.

After many tests, a child specialist one day finally pinned the trouble in the tiny body down to either heart or lungs.

That night she had a convulsion and was taken to hospital in Victoria.

A week of tests later,

doctors were taking X-rays through a tiny tube run from an artery in her leg up inside the heart.

On the last photograph, which had to be enlarged four times normal to make sure, they found the evidence of the malformity.

Two days later a medical team of seven under surgeon Dr. Phillip Ashmore worked over Karina 3½ hours in the famed heart centre of Vancouver General Hospital.

is three. The condition then would become a handicap, turning her into what is commonly known as a "blue baby."

It may also heal itself by then. Only time will say.

"How it will affect her future development nobody knows, because they never had anyone like her before," says Mrs. Willard.

"We'd read stories that it happened to someone."

"But this proves, all over again, how it can happen to you or your next-door neighbor."

"Just those people who dig down made Karina's life possible."

## First Stage

# Canvass in East Opens 'Y' Drive



KENNETH MACLURE

## Seen In Passing

Group Capt. Kenneth MacLure, photographing the loading of the Whitehorse for a southern cruise. (He lives at 3280 Woodburn with his wife Margaret, and children Richard, 11, Malcolm, 9, Margaret Ann, 6, and Rowena, 2. His hobby is photography). . . Sam Hill offering a cheery smile . . . Gar Dixon dropping into a camera shop . . . Warren Walls being polite to a late customer . . . Peter Kempel shining a windshield . . . R. B. Shaw discussing legion activities . . . Bud Bennett reporting some good fishing . . . Alberta Dale enumerating . . . Ron Mitchell getting home late.

## In House Today

Land and Forests Minister Ray Willison will continue the budget debate when the legislature sits at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Randolph Harding (NDP—Kaslo-Slocan), Irvine Corbett (SC—Yale) and Rae Edlie (NDP—New Westminster) will follow.

First phase of the appeal to raise \$1,138,666 to build a new YM-YWCA building in the Cathedral Hill area was launched Wednesday when officials of the fund drive flew to eastern Canada to canvass national business leaders.

Official opening of the drive took place at Patricia Bay Airport immediately before H. R. Stephen, general chairman of the drive, left for Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg and other major centres.

"The dividends from this campaign will be paid, not in bricks and mortar, but in terms of human spirit," he said. "They will provide the assurance that into the life of this lovely home of ours will continue to flow a stream of young men and women, strong in their dedication to the attainment of a decent world."

Mr. Stephen is accompanied by J. Stuart Keate, chairman of the national corporations division of the appeal.

The proposed new building for the two "Y" branches will include a 25-metre Olympic swimming pool, a gymnasium, craft centre, club rooms, game rooms, locker and shower.

## Firemen Aided

# Traffic Lights Lauded

Fire Chief James Baylis is seeking extension of the present system of automatic traffic light controls which gives safe passage for emergency vehicles.

The fire department's annual report, received at city hall yesterday, said there have been only a few minor faults in the present system during its first year of operation.

"We are convinced," Chief Baylis said, "that this traffic light control system has permitted us safe passage through the intersections where it is in operation and that it is an asset both to the motoring public and to this department."

The report also drew to the attention of city council the need for renovation and repainting of the Burnside fire hall—"If this building is to remain open."

**NEW HALL:** Ald. Austin Curtis, chairman of the fire wardens, recently called for a new fire hall to be built near Point Elliot Bridge replacing the Burnside hall.

Total fire loss for the year in Victoria stood at \$342,836—some \$8,000 below the 1961 figure.

Three major fires accounted for \$214,351 of the total loss: a clothing store on Government Street, a Douglas Street photo supply house, and First United Church.

The summary contained in the chief's report shows: Number of alarms increased by 79 last year to 810 while false alarms in 1962 totalled 91—an increase of two. There was a total of 123 inhalator-resuscitator calls, 41 more than in 1961.



## Sizing Up Future

Beret is tried on for size by Cadet Dale McPherson, 13, at last night's St. John Ambulance cadet induction ceremonies. About 50 cadets were inducted into St. John Ambulance and certificates, pins and berets were presented.

## Texaco Station

# Fourth Oil Firm Lowers Prices

The C. Ellis Texaco station at Douglas and Princess dropped the price of its gasoline to 40.9 cents per gallon yesterday, as Texaco became the fourth oil company here supplying gasoline on a competitive basis.

The move started with Imperial Oil and was followed by Standard, Shell, and now by Texaco.

Meanwhile, Stan Hitchman, second vice-president of the Automobile Retailers' Association of B.C., said most service station operators in the area are holding out at the 44.9-cent price while waiting for the provincial government to make a move.

# MLA Smith May Run As a Federal Socred

By JACK FRY

Victoria M.L.A. J. Donald Smith is a possible contender for the Victoria Social Credit federal riding nomination in the April 8 election.

"I have thought about it, but I have made no decision," he said last night.

Names of three other possible Socred contenders for the riding were also learned, as an overall picture began to shape up on the Victoria electoral situation.

**THREE OTHERS:** A reliable political source said Ald. Millard Mooney, real estate agent Peter Brown and author James Audain may also seek the Victoria Socred nomination.

Elsewhere in the Victoria riding contest:

**SCOTT POSSIBLE:** W. A. "Bill" Scott was considered a possible candidate against machine shop operator Harry Fanthorpe in the New Democratic Party, which will hold its nominating convention in Woodworth Hall, Courtney Street, at 8 p.m. Feb. 25.

A top Liberal official said he thought the entry of Jack Mearns, an Oak Bay realtor, into what had been a two-way contest between David Gross (backed by Oak Bay Liberals) and city

lawyer Foster Isherwood (backed by city Liberals) will draw more Liberal votes from Mr. Gross than from Mr. Isherwood. The Liberal nominating convention will be held in Central Junior High School at 8 p.m. Feb. 28.

**TWO-WAY RACE:** Eric Charman, a city realtor, and A. DeB. McPhillips were in a two-way race for the Progressive Conservative seat which Mr. McPhillips held in Ottawa. The Conservatives will hold their nominating convention in Holy-Rood House, 2315 McBride, at 8 p.m. Feb. 28.

Mr. Smith said, "We need good representation for B.C. Our party has gained federal prestige, we have national publicity and it appears the big swing to Social Credit is on."

Ald. Mooney had "no comment" on the report he may seek the Victoria Socred nomination. Mr. Audain said it is "not likely" he will run, although he has not committed himself either way.

**SON OF REEVE:** Mr. Brown, 43, son of former Central Saanich Reeve Robert Brown, said he has been asked to stand, "but I have some business to clean up and my hal is not yet in the ring."

# Publicity Bureau To Quit in March

The Victoria and Island formation office, for tourists in Victoria.

The recently-formed Vancouver Island Publicity Bureau, with Walter Dodsworth of Oak Bay as president, is to take over external publicity.

A Victoria Visitors and Convention Bureau, expected to be formed on or about March 12, will take over caring for services mainly a tourist information bureau in Victoria.

# Empress, City Look Ahead To Million-Dollar Year

By HARVEY SHEPARD

Convention delegates at the Empress Hotel in 1963 are expected to pump more than \$1,050,000 into the economy of Greater Victoria.

Charles Moore, Empress convention manager, said more than 50 conventions, with a total of more than 10,000 delegates, have already been booked for 1963 at the Empress.

The conventions generally last about three days and a delegate is assumed to spend about \$35 a day, he said.

Conventions in 1963 at the Empress will be of all sizes and represent a wide variety of groups, he said.

One of the outstanding conventions scheduled for March will be that of the Pipeline Contractors of Canada, with 250 delegates expected.

## Man Injured Crossing Street

A man struck by a car while crossing Government early Tuesday was treated in hospital for suspected rib fractures.

Lennox Davies, 49, of 828 Courtney, was one of two men hit at Johnson and Government. The other pedestrian left the scene. Police identified the driver as Dennis Bertrand, 339 Niagara.

Meanwhile, a recent survey by the Canadian Tourist Association showed that last year 9,700 delegates to 37 conventions in Victoria spent an estimated \$1,475,000.

The association estimated delegates spent about \$2,000,000 while attending 2,000 conventions in Canada during 1962.

Returns from 18 cities and resort hotels of the Canadian National and Canadian Pacific

hotel systems indicated a total of 1,952 annual meetings and other large gatherings with total attendance of 1,135,790 delegates. Total estimated revenue for these cities and resorts was about \$190,000,000.

These figures do not include money spent by persons attending sales meetings, exhibits, directors meetings or conferences, nor do they include expenses for travel to and from conventions.

## New Inspector

# Committee to Hear Smoke Test Results

Results of recent tests on smoke over Victoria will be given to the smoke advisory committee at its next meeting, scheduled for 2 p.m. Friday.

Committee chairman Ald. Geoffrey Edgelow said yesterday the data had been gathered since the arrival of the city's first full-time smoke inspector in mid-January.

Friday will be the first time Samuel Motilshaw has appeared before the advisory body since he was hired late last year.

Ald. Edgelow declined to give the results of the tests

prior to the meeting. But he said: "I think we've got ourselves a good man in Mr. Motilshaw."

After he was reappointed chairman of the smoke body at the beginning of the year, Ald. Edgelow called for an all-out campaign against offenders in the first six months of 1963.

He said the committee will make every effort to bring about a considerable improvement before the start of the tourist season.

No. 1 target of the smoke forces is any source of fly-ash.

# New Math Text Cuts Drill

Arithmetic with more understanding and less drill will be the lot of Grade 4 students in Greater Victoria next school year.

Some 70 Greater Victoria Grade 4 teachers last night completed a series of four seminars designed to make them familiar with Seeing Through Arithmetic, the text which next year will replace Study Arithmetic, which has been some 20 years service here.

Both texts come in series from Grades 3 to 6. Seeing Through Arithmetic replaced Study Arithmetic in Grade 3 this school year and will do so in Grades 5 and 6 the year after next and the year after that.

R. G. Richmond of Victoria West Elementary School said he and many others came to the seminars prepared to be skeptical and left highly impressed with the new text.

## The New Road to 135

Here's how your Grade Four child will divide 54 by four next year:

Multiply four by any number you please which will obviously give an answer of less than 54. May, 18, which gives 72. Subtract that from 84 and you get 16. Four, of course, divides into 16 three times, with two as remainder. Ten plus three is 13, the answer, with remainder two.

Suppose you began by multiplying four times also, instead of 18. That gives 36, and subtracting from 54 gives 18. Four goes into 18 four times, with two remainder. Nine plus four is 13—and the remainder is two.

The book, relying heavily on pictures and diagrams, calls for "more teaching and less drill," he said, and is aimed at giving the student a real understanding of how arithmetic works, rather than having him simply memorize procedures and formulas.

For instance, instead of just being told to remember three goes into 12 four times, the

mechanical working-out of arithmetic problems, except in the case of long division.

Here, instead of bulldozing his way from left to right through the dividend, the student multiplies the divisor by any number whatsoever which will obviously produce a product less than the divisor and subtracts the product from the dividend.

He then multiplies the divisor by any number which will produce a product less than the number he got by subtracting, and continues the same process. Finally, he adds all the numbers he multiplied the product by and that sum is the answer.

"It's just like dividing a big barrel of apples equally into little barrels," Mr. Richmond said. "You could do it one at a time, but you would probably do it as many as a time as you thought you could do and still have enough apples to put in the last little barrel."

pupil will see a picture of 12 pictures and diagrams, calls for "more teaching and less drill," he said, and is aimed at giving the student a real understanding of how arithmetic works, rather than having him simply memorize procedures and formulas.

The new text covers exactly the same ground as the old, and the child will use the time-honored methods in the actual





Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bouchard, 1887 Allenby Street, wish to announce the engagement of their daughter, Joan Florence, to Mr. Gerald Gordon Macadam, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Macadam, St. James' Man. The wedding will take place on March 15 at St. Barnabas Anglican Church with Rev. Brian Page officiating. — (Jus-Rite)

### Man's

## Struggle Should End at Home Door

CHICAGO (UPI)—A marital expert says that many marriages "fall because women want affection and love while men want to be babied, petted and consoled."

The conflict, according to Victor Neumark, retiring chairman of the Chicago Bar Association's committee on matrimonial law, forces the woman to keep herself from her husband. It makes the man disgusted and "an easy prey for temptations."

"The ordinary man returns from the office tired and in need of rest," Neumark said. "He wants consideration and encouragement. He wants to relax, not merely to close his eyes and sleep, but to be babied, petted and consoled."

"The wife, on the other hand, may have been through trying experiences of the day and is herself desirous of comfort, approval and affection."

"She desires courtship, words of affection and love, and when she does not receive this," Neumark said, "she coyly pretends indifference."

Neumark, writing in the Chicago bar record, said only one out of 21 marriages is happy. The others, he said, are "relatively happy to miserable."

### WOMAN'S WEAPON

Neumark said the woman should provide a man with "satisfaction of his desires, the things that he may require."

"The power of this satisfaction," he said, is a woman's "weapon and her guarantee of survival."

"She does not wish to retain the man... but she does wish to have words of assurance, because then she is reassured of her security, her right to existence."

"Consequently," Neumark said, "the male who is tired and exhausted, will finally, in disgust, go to sleep... resentfully."

### WRONG SIDE

"The following morning, he is mean, temperamental and explosive. The female, on the other hand, would refer to this emotional display by saying 'he got up in the wrong side of bed,'" Neumark said.

"The most common and persistent grounds for divorce are cruelty, desertion, adultery and habitual drunkenness — but they are not the underlying causes," he said.

"A man's struggle for existence in this contentious society should end when he enters the door of his home," Neumark said. "He should not be exposed to further competition... nor required to bargain for affection."

"A wife," Neumark said, "is intimately a catalyst because as she acts — as her conduct is — so is his response."

"She may acknowledge him, or she may deflate him."

## Ann Landers



Dear Ann Landers: Correction, please, on your statement—"You've got a tin ear, brother, and there's no cure for it."

There is, indeed, a cure for it. If "Brother" is willing to work hard. A cousin of mine loved to sing but the poor guy couldn't carry a tune in a picnic basket. He was determined not to miss the fun of singing, and set out to memorize sounds. He actually slaved at training his ear, and after a while he was able to sing on key.

By the time he got to Harvard he sang well enough to join the Harvard Glee Club. For four years he was one of their best baritone. Although he never achieved absolute pitch (this cannot be taught) he did succeed in overcoming his tin ear. — ROBERT C. MARSH.

Dear Bob: I stand corrected (by the distinguished music critic of the Chicago Sun-Times yet). Thank you, in behalf of all the tin ears in the land.

Dear Ann Landers: I'm writing in regard to the 19-year-old girl who signed herself Grace. She and her mother were like strangers. There was no warmth between them. Grace said there never was.

You put the whole blame on the mother. I think you could be wrong. My own daughter is 16, and she's another Grace. When she was seven, she let me know she didn't want my hugs or kisses. Whenever I tried to be affectionate she pushed me away. So I stopped trying. Many times I longed to hold her in my arms but she had set up the barrier.

My husband left me when my "Grace" was six. Perhaps this is a clue. I remarried a few years later and now have a loving husband and a darling, affectionate daughter. The two girls are as different as night and day. So please print my letter, Ann, and tell some of those cold daughters to warm up toward their mothers and maybe they will get something in return. — DELTA.

Dear Delta: No one is born "cold." All children want to be loved. If your daughter refused to accept your affection, it was because you somehow rejected her first.

Your "clue" is a revealing one. You did not love your husband and this child by him was probably unwanted—and unloved. Your second marriage was a good one. You loved the man and you loved his child. A child's heart is the most delicately sensitive machine in the world. It knows.

Dear Ann: When I have guests for dinner I like to clear the dishes and leave everything in the kitchen until I can do things my way. My guests think they are doing me a favor when they insist on "helping." I keep repeating, "No, no... I'd prefer to do it myself," yet they go right on chipping my china, breaking the stems off my good crystal and scratching the silver.

One guest threw a large piece of roast beef into the garbage can before I could stop her. Another guest tossed out several servings of salad saying, "Why clutter up the refrigerator with this?"

Please, Ann, tell people when a business says she's rather clean up the dishes herself she means it. Thanks—RUTH.

Dear Ruth: When some people say "No" it sounds like "Maybe." If you don't want help be emphatic. Often it's not what you say but the way you say it, that delivers the message.

Confidential to Deserts: Constant use will wear anything out — especially "dear friends." You overdid it, so don't blame them.

Confidential to Worried Sick: It is physically biologically and scientifically impossible, so stop worrying. You need basic information. Boy, ask your doctor or the Coach to recommend some reading material.

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By Harry Mace



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## that Man in the Kitchen

Many is the time I have been most grateful for good old strong Canadian cheese. It is wonderful dairy produce, not only useful for snacks and sandwiches, but in my opinion makes the most exciting Welsh Rarebit or Rabbit. The title is still controversial and it does not matter much if you are a rarebit or rabbit supporter, the dish is still the same delectable cheese concoction. Here is the recipe, with variations:

### WELSH RAREBIT NO. 1

(For four people)

Half a pound grated Canadian cheese, 1/2 cup half milk, half cream, 1 tspn. Worcestershire sauce, 1/2 tspn. prepared mustard.

In the top of a double boiler, melt the cheese to which the cream has been added, stirring constantly. Add the seasonings and when very warm pour over buttered toast and brown very quickly under the broiler.

### WELSH RAREBIT NO. 2

(For six people)

One pound strong Canadian cheese, grated, 1/2 cup stale beer or porter, dash of cayenne, 2 tspn. Worcestershire sauce, 1/2 tspn. dry mustard, dash of paprika.

Place the seasonings and the beer or porter in the top of a double boiler over boiling water. Stir until the seasonings are well mixed and the beer begins to foam slightly. Add the grated cheese and stir until well melted and the mixture is hot. Pour over slices of buttered toast and brown quickly under the broiler.

As you will see, both of these recipes call for browning under the broiler. I should say that this is a matter of taste, and if you do not have a broiler, don't worry because the rarebit will be just as good without this treatment. Also, if you are a wee bit light in the cheese department, remember that you can stretch the rarebit by adding two eggs beaten, after the cheese has melted, stir well until eggs are cooked. Check your seasoning—you may need a little salt.

The Swiss also have an intriguing dish in their Fondue. Traditionally, it is a party dish and played as a game of forfeits. The fondue is eaten by spooning a cube of good French bread and dunking it in the cheese mixture. Should the player lose the cube of bread, a forfeit must be paid. Here is the recipe:

### SWISS CHEESE FONDUE

(For eight people)

One pound Swiss cheese (gruyere) grated, 1 clove garlic, 1 1/2 cups wine (Neuchatel, Clos Ste. Odile or a dry Rhine wine), 2 tspn. cornstarch, 3 tspn. Kirsch or Cognac, freshly ground black pepper.

Using an earthenware casserole or chafing dish, rub the bottom and the sides with a clove of garlic. Add the wine and heat almost to the boiling point. Add the cheese stirring constantly with a wooden spoon. When the cheese is melted and creamy, add the cornstarch mixed to a paste with the Kirsch or Cognac, and stir until the mixture bubbles.

Season to taste with freshly ground pepper. Bon appetit!



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Blind persons of Victoria were guests at a tea given by the Auxiliary to the CNIB at headquarters yesterday afternoon. Mrs. R. O. Taylor, president, announced the program which

included a reading by Miss Elizabeth Forbes and entertainment by Jerry Gosley. Red and white carnations were used to decorate the tea tables.

## PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. W. Weeks, 71 Regina Avenue, were guests of honor recently, on the occasion of their 50th wedding anniversary. A buffet supper was held by their daughters at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Merrill, 1180 Esquimalt Road. A tea was also held in their honor at the Wychbury Avenue home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Lancaster. Co-hostesses were Mrs. A. Merrill and Mrs. D. Hatch. Mr. and Mrs. Weeks were married at Tavistock, Devon, England, on Feb. 12, 1913. They have three daughters, seven grandchildren and one great-grandson.

### Going to England

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Sanders, Metchem Road, entertained at tea recently in honor of Mrs. Sanders' mother, Mrs. H. Stoba who is leaving by plane for England on Saturday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. Birtwhistle, Mr. and Mrs. A. Evans, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. T. Cuff, Mrs. J. Bligh, Mrs. R. Hall, Mrs. Marian Barnes, Mrs. H. Ford and Miss Constance Holmes. The Misses Glinis and Patricia Sanders and Master Stephen Sanders assisted in serving.

### Luncheon for Mrs. H. L. Smith

A no-host luncheon was held recently in Eaton's private dining room to honor Mrs. H. L. Smith, retiring president of the Greater Victoria Citizenship Council. Mr. George L. Warren, president, called upon, Alderman Lily Wilson, a past president of the council, to present a gift and bouquet of spring flowers to Mrs. Smith. Invited guests, all members of the present or past executives were, Mrs. P. Bissley, Miss L. Bowron, Miss E. Bruce, Miss J. Gordon, Miss E. Hart, Miss E. Hosson, Lt.-Col. A. Kent, Mrs. H. Kitchell, Mrs. D. Leechman, Mrs. A. Phipps, Mrs. A. Plows, Mrs. H. Powell, Mrs. S. Rose, Mr. J. Skidaway, Mrs. A. Tullis, Mr. C. Yarwood and Mr. L. Westendale.

### Guests at Wedding

Mrs. P. Sawatske of Regina, Sask., flew to Victoria to attend the wedding of her niece, Miss Dianne Prynyk, and is staying at the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. F. Prynyk, for an indefinite visit. Other out-of-town guests at the Ennik-Prynyk wedding were Mr. and Mrs. F. Prynyk and Mr. and Mrs. J. Swaluki, Port Alberni; Mr. and Mrs. F. Kallstrom, Alberni; Mr. and Mrs. Sid Roberts and Barbara from Sidney, V.I.

### Mabel Bell Honored

NANAIMO—Mrs. Mabel Bell, "the Nanaimo Woman of the Year," was presented with the "spies and buys" perpetual silver tray and the individual small silver tray by Mayor Pete Malton, wearing his chain of office, in the council chambers at the city hall.

The mayor congratulated Mrs. Bell and noted that he had the pleasure of seeing all the previous award winners and many representatives of the organizations to which these winners belong, present to do honor to Mrs. Bell. He said that he and his council were deeply grateful to the women of Nanaimo for all the work they did to make Nanaimo a better place to live. The Retarded Children's Association, Mrs. Bell's pet project, was particularly worthwhile.

### President Re-elected

At the recent annual meeting of St. Peter's Church, evening guild, election of officers was conducted by Rev. Kenneth M. King. The following were elected for their second term of office: Mrs. C. E. Pettigrew, president; Mrs. R. Baker, secretary and Mrs. R. B. Lymbery, treasurer. Newly-elected are: president, Mrs. C. E. Wilmut; social convener, Mrs. H. Taylor assisted by Mrs. D. F. Risson and publicity, Mrs. J. T. Burwood.

Next meeting will be held Feb. 27, at the home of Mrs. B. Ackerman, 3353 Glasgow Avenue. Plans for future events will be discussed.



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## Spiked Heels A Hazard Driving

BARTON (UPI) — Women's spiked-heel shoes may be fashionable on the street but they are a hazard in the driver's seat of a car.

The Automobile Legal Association warned that "these long, thin heels manage to become wedged between the floor board and the blage of the gas pedal. Depending upon the design of the floor controls, the only way to free the heel may be to depress the accelerator further toward the floor. The danger here is obvious."

The ALA suggested that women carry an extra pair of low-heeled shoes in their cars to avoid this hazard.

## Plans Made For Ridotto

Nominations for the new executive to be elected in March were made at the February meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Family and Children's Service. Mrs. H. A. Brown and Mrs. G. C. Parrott reported on work done in the clothing room of Spencer House. Purchase of a blanket as a wedding gift for a ward was announced by Mrs. T. Ireland. Mrs. M. Webb described the successful drying of rug and curtains for the Carey Road Home. Preliminary plans were made for the annual Ridotto to be held in the middle of June at Seven Oaks Children's Centre.

## Mme. Casgrain Says

# Women Must Speak Out

"If Canada acquired nuclear arms, she would lose the role of peaceful arbiter, which she now holds." This is the view of Mme. Therese Casgrain, OBE, president of the Voice of Women in Canada. Mme. Casgrain leaves Victoria this morning to continue her cross country tour of local branches of the Voice of Women.

A gracious, but determined woman, Mme. Casgrain, is a firm believer in the strength and capabilities of women in the world today.

"Women is the giver of life, she has a different outlook from a man," Mme. Casgrain feels that it is up to the women of the world to enter into international problems, the most pressing now being nuclear disarmament.

"Women are so afraid to state their opinions. They are afraid of being ostracized by their social groups. They must speak out," she says.

Voice of Women was established in Canada in 1960 and since then has helped the Peace Research Council, proposed an International Year of Co-Operation, which was approved by Parliament and presented briefs to delegates of the United States, Soviet Union and non-aligned countries at the United Nations. The latter event took place in November and met with keen interest from delegates.

Last September, Voice of Women, sponsored a four day conference in the Laurentian Mountains at which 17 countries were represented. Five women came from the Soviet Union and others from Poland and Czechoslovakia.

## Clubs

**NOMADS OF AVRUDEKA**  
Nomads of Avrudaka will hold regular Darbar, Feb. 23 for initiation, entertainment and refreshment, 8 p.m. at the K of P Hall.

**LEAGUE OF ROSES**  
League of Roses, Lanes and Yorks, will hold a concert Thursday, Feb. 21 at 8 p.m. in Loughheed's Hall, Douglas Street. The group "Down South" will present the program which will be followed by refreshments and dancing.

**JUBILEE WA**  
The Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will meet in the Nurses' residence on Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 2:30 p.m.

**IODE**  
The annual meeting of the Major John Heiden Gillespie Chapter, IODE, will be held at the home of Mrs. S. E. Hager, 611 Foul Bay Road, Tuesday, Feb. 26 at 8 p.m.

"The Russian women were so pleased to be treated as human beings," Mme. Casgrain says. "We were united on one point, to stop the arms race. We forgot about our differences and discussed the points on which we were agreed, all of us aware of our responsibility to our children and generations to come."

## \$61 Raised By Church

FULFORD—The sum of \$61 was collected at the tea and sale of work, sponsored by the United Church Women on Feb. 14. Held at Nana's Coffee Bar, the tea was patronized by a large crowd. Dr. Morah Hughes welcomed the guests with Mrs. A. House who introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. I. Bradley of Ganges, who opened the affair and gave a delightful talk.

In a letter to the Prime Minister, Mme. Casgrain stated the Voice of Women feels that "only as a non-nuclear power Canada can play a positive and constructive role in world affairs... an urgent desire to regain a measure of control over their destinies."

Through "a sense of human family," the VOW proposes to not only promote peace, but also integration and understanding of other races and colors.

Asked about her family, Mme. Casgrain said she has

four children and 16 grandchildren.

"It is for them that I am doing this work," she smiled.

## ALDYEN HAMBER

The annual meeting of the Aldyen Hamber Chapter IODE will be held on Thursday, Feb. 21, at the home of Mrs. E. Heywood, 2154 Allenby Street, preceded by dinner at 6:30 p.m.

## VICTORIA WI

Victoria Women's Institute will meet for a business meeting in Moose Hall, 512 Fort Street, Feb. 23, at 1:30 p.m.



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## Garden Notes

# Corn Worth Space

By M. V. CHESNUT, FRES

If I used even a smidgin of common sense in planning our garden, I would never attempt the growing of corn in our vegetable plot. Unless you have acres of ground, it occupies too much room and casts too much shade, and all for a crop that supplies the table for two to three weeks at best. On top of this, our cool climate and chilly summer nights are all wrong for corn—it needs the sizzling summer heat and breathless, muggy nights of Iowa to produce as it should, and some years our gamble doesn't come off and we are left with a row of fine, upstanding corn stalks with no ears on them.

We grow it for only one reason—its flavor. Corn is a volatile vegetable, losing much of its flavor in the first six hours after picking, and home-grown cobs rushed from the garden to the cooking pot taste altogether different from store-bought stuff which has been kicking around the store bins for the best part of a week. It isn't the easiest thing in the world to find a variety which will do well in our climate, because the kinds with the best flavor need more summer heat than we can supply, and the very early hybrid kinds which do

well are mostly a little short on eating quality.

For many years, I considered the old-fashioned Golden Bantam the only corn-on-the-cob really fit to eat. I tried all kinds of new hybrid varieties, and while they were earlier, more vigorous, and produced bigger and better-looking ears, their color was pale and pallid, and for my money, they couldn't touch the older variety for that rich, melting, "corny" flavor.

Three years ago, a seedsmen friend challenged me on my recommendation of Golden Bantam and gave me a supply of seeds of a hybrid corn called Golden Beauty to try out. With some skepticism I sowed the seeds in the ground, expecting to harvest the usual gorgeous-looking but flavor-shy ears. We had quite a surprise.

Golden Beauty grew with terrific vigor, making plants easily six feet tall. The ears were ready for picking in only 67 days, 10 days ahead of our Golden Bantam, but the big jolt came when we had our first feed of the stuff. Whether Golden Bantam is one of the parents or not, I wouldn't know, but certainly Hybrid Golden Beauty has the same deep yellow

coloring and the same rich, mouth-watering flavor, and in bigger, deep-kernelled ears. This is our corn from here on in.

Did you ever grow Squaw corn? This is a native Indian corn with variegated cobs—kernels of many colors all on the one cob, purple, mauve, yellow, cream and black. I grew it as a boy, and in fact, at that time I didn't know there was any other kind of corn. I even ate the stuff, although the kernels are hard and tough and suitable only for pounding into meal.

I hadn't seen the seeds of Squaw corn offered in years, and I was quite surprised last year to see it given quite a build-up in several seed catalogues. The current popularity of floral art is responsible, for the flower-arranging buffs have discovered the virtues of these multi-colored cobs, combining them with variegated gourds to make ornamental swatches for hanging on the wall and for use in "Harvest Home" and Thanksgiving arrangements.

Corn seed will rot before it can germinate if you sow it in cold, wet soil, and it pays to shake up the seeds with a little Spergon or Arsan to protect them against the rot organisms in the soil.

CHARLES McDOWELL Visits Gloomsville

## Strangers in Own Town

News-Starved New York  
Loses Touch with Itself

The visitor to New York senses almost immediately the vague loneliness in the air, the depression of the spirit, the unsettled mood of people who have had their habits tampered with. The newspaper strike has given to New Yorkers a feeling they haven't known before—they are strangers in their own town.

Radio, television and other peoples' newspapers may have helped New York not to lose touch entirely with the outside world, but New York has lost touch with itself.

In an all-night cafeteria a man reads a rumpled copy of yesterday's Philadelphia Bulletin with his coffee and cheese-cake. He frowns at it and turns the pages awkwardly. There are a hundred reasons why he doesn't feel at home with it.

At a table near the big front window, a man wearing a leather cap peers sadly into the Wall Street Journal.

A young fellow on a stool behind the cash register speaks to the Wall Street Journal man: "So what's good in the morning line at Hialeah, Pop?"

This is a sort of joke. Every one knows the Wall Street Journal is devoid of race-track news, but it is something to say. The same is true of the joke about Cardinal Spellman reading the Christian Science Monitor. Something to say.

For the first time in memory, New Yorkers have the

uneasy idea that they need something to say.

One man in the cafeteria is reading a pamphlet of theatre news published during the emergency by the theatres themselves and meant mostly for tourists. This man obviously is not a tourist, but he will read anything, even a review of a play he doesn't care about by a critic he never heard of in a town somewhere in the vast Siberia that lies west of the Hudson River.

Business is off in the cafeteria after dinner. That is mainly because the news stand on the street corner is closed. No longer does the regular crowd gather to wait for the early editions of the morning papers.

No longer does at least one-third of the crowd bring the papers inside to read Red Smith, or to catch up on crime or Khrushchev, or to work to crossword puzzle, smart at the Mayor or study the ship arrivals, or to hand-cup the daily double at Hialeah.

Some news stands are open, selling well-meaning papers from other cities at premium prices. It's a nice try, but no single newspaper can begin to satisfy the whims, passions,

curiosities and journalistic habits of 8,000,000 people.

There are all sorts of stopgaps—advertising cards in the subways, menus, magazines, cullet tracts, mimeographed sheets of news and stock quotations published by the railroads, an old dog-show program.

But all the stopgaps are in-

adequate when a true reader truly yearns for the features in his paper. New York is in the fog without them.

In the all-night cafeteria, the melancholy horse player, like his Wall Street Journal and starts for the door. Two men see the deserted paper and move toward it. The man with yesterday's Philadelphia Bulletin gets it, and then he hands yesterday's Philadelphia Bulletin to the other man. They both shrug, neither smiling, and sit down again.

## Animal Prayers Unusual Poems

By RUDOLF FLEISCH

THE PRAYER OF THE OLD HORSE

A beautiful little book of 27 poems has appeared out of nowhere—Prayers from the Ark by Carmen Bernos de Gascoit (Viking).

The poems were written in French by a young woman who wrote them while working in a factory. She now lives in a Benedictine Abbey near Paris, where she is an elementary school teacher.

Prayers from the Ark was first published in French by the private press of the Abbey. Then Rumer Godden, the British novelist, discovered the poems, was impressed by their simplicity and beauty and decided to translate them. Now here they are, with lovely illustrations by Jean Primrose.

The 27 poems are in the forms of prayers by different animals. Here are two of them:

THE PRAYER OF THE ELEPHANT

Dear God,  
It is I, the elephant,  
Your creature,  
who is talking to You,  
I am so embarrassed by my great self,  
and truly it is not my fault  
if I spoil Your jungle a little  
with my big feet.  
Let me be careful and be-  
have wisely,  
always keeping my dignity  
and poise.  
Give me such philosophic  
thoughts  
that I can rejoice every-  
where I go  
in the lovely oddity of  
things.  
Amen.

Non-Citizens  
Show Increase

OTTAWA (C.P.)—Residents of Canada reporting a citizenship "other than Canadian in-  
creased by 139 per cent between 1951 and 1961, the Dominion Bureau of Statistics says.

A 1961 census report said 1,056,000 persons reported they were not Canadian citizens on June 1, 1961, as against 441,000 in 1951.

## Disney Discovers Another 'Hayley'

HOLLYWOOD (N.A.)—Walt Disney has a new 16-year-old discovery, Wendy Turner, who, he believes, can be as big a star as Hayley Mills. Walt will introduce Wendy in Hayley's Summer Magic. She has the same fresh unspoiled beauty.

I don't see Marilyn Brando taking out any ads to sell his Mutiny on the Bounty picture to the Oscar voters. He didn't get too many good reviews but those sea battles should put the picture in the running for a nomination.

Long ago, Ray Wray screamed her way to stardom in King Kong. Now Audrey Hepburn hopes to do the same in 16 screaming scenes in Depths of the Unknown.

ART BUCHWALD Learns About Faux Pas

## School for Social Innocents

Don't Shake Hands  
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WASHINGTON—Ever since we moved to Washington we've been terrified of making a faux pas at some fancy dinner party. Washington is the most protocol-conscious city in the world and you can get thrown out just by sticking your napkin in the wrong ear.

Mrs. Gladstone Williams, a Washington socialite, realized some time ago that people like herself needed guidance if they ever hoped to survive the social scene, and so she set up a protocol course at South-eastern University, where, for a small fee, anyone could learn the social refinements that are so much part of Washington living.

When we sought out Mrs. Williams, she was very sympathetic to our problem. "People come to Washington from all over," she said, "and obviously many of them have never been faced with protocol problems before. What exactly do you want to know?"

"I want to know about faux pas," she said.

"If there is anything I hate to commit it's a faux pas, particularly since I promised my wife if we didn't do anything else when we came to Washington we'd become social climbers."

"Well," said Mrs. Williams, "there are forgivable and unforgivable faux pas."

"I want to know the unforgivable ones first. After all, those are the ones that people remember."

"An unforgivable faux pas," Mrs. Williams said, "is to shake hands with the butler when you come into a house."

"Wiping silverware on your napkin or the tablecloth, in someone's home, is also unforgivable."

"Is it better to eat with a dirty fork?"

"No," she said, "trying to hide the discouragement in

her voice "If you find a utensil is not clean, call over a servant and tell him quietly you would like a clean fork."

"But he was probably responsible for the fork's being there in the first place. Won't he get mad?"

"Not if you whisper. Which brings us to the next point. One should never reprimand a servant in public. That's unforgivable," she said.

"And he'll quit besides," we added.

Mrs. Williams warned us there were little things that gave you away at a party in Washington. Referring to your dinner jacket as a tux and calling your wife's dress a frock was strictly non-U. Referring to a girl friend as a lady friend puts you in the servant class.

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# Juvenile Remanded

A juvenile charged with "a murder," was remanded to 2 p.m. Friday when he appeared in juvenile court yesterday.

The juvenile is being held in connection with the double shooting last week of George Alfred Bickford and his wife Marie Helene Amanda Bickford, 3625 Melcroft.

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Two sailors were fined \$20 each in city magistrate's court on separate charges of being minors in possession of liquor.

Robert Glen Coupar, HMCS Fraser, was found in an alley off Cormorant Street with a bottle of rum, police said.

Gordon Thomas Fletcher, HMCS Saskatchewan, was seen outside a liquor store

William Allison, 3211 Al-bion, was sentenced to one month for driving while under suspension and careless driving.

In Esquimalt court Michael Patrick Paine, 19, of 454 Fraser, pleaded guilty to throwing a beer bottle on the road and creating a disturbance.

Police testified Paine was taken home after he had been warned about screaming and shouting on the street and breaking a beer bottle in the crownwalk at Fraser and Esquimalt at 2 a.m. yesterday.

Paine showed up at the police station at 3 a.m., screaming and swearing and demanding to be locked up, police said. He was remanded to Feb. 25 for probation report and sentence.

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## Linemen, Too Signallers Recruit Women

Women as well as men will be accepted by 5 Area Signal Squadron in a new recruitment program announced last night by commanding officer Capt. A. F. Smythe.

"The program is going into high gear," Capt. Smythe told The Daily Colonist, "and we hope to double the strength of the unit."

Courses will be given in Morse code for wireless telegraphy, voice procedures, operation of transmitter and receiver equipment and walkie-talkie radio, he said.

"We are interested in getting recruits who have had telephone experience," the captain said, "particularly line-men."

The courses given will qualify members of the unit to take part in national survival operations. Anyone interested should apply at the Bay Street Armory.

**Girls Moving In?**  
Girls may soon invade Bay Street Armory where boys are taking courses on standard national survival communications equipment at 5 Area Signal Squadron. Commanding officer Capt. A. F. Smythe, 4916 Cordova Bay, supervises radiomen Cpl. Brian Hayes, 1286 Pike, and Cpl. Duane Bird, 1534 Amphion, in regular training exercises.

## Lawyer Behind Holdup Suspect Tells Court

MONTREAL (CP) — Jean-Paul Fournel testified Wednesday that a lawyer, Constantin, was the man behind the bank robbery last September.

Fournel dropped the bombshell during cross-examination at the trial of Marcotte, charged with capital murder in the death of two police constables during a bank holdup Dec. 14 in suburban St. Laurent.

**ROBBED BANK**  
He testified that he had robbed the same bank twice before, once at the end of May or early June, 1962, and again in September, 1962.

Fournel also named Andre Grafenko as an accomplice in the first two bank robberies.

**"BUY RESTAURANT"**  
Fournel testified that the September robbery was carried out at "instigation" of "lawyer Constantin."

Fournel said that last July or August Mr. Constantin had come to him with a proposition to buy a restaurant that was bankrupt.

He said Mr. Constantin was an inspector of bankruptcies and wanted "to use Grafenko and me as a front."

**NEEDED MONEY**  
He said that between \$5,000 and \$10,000 was needed to run the restaurant, adding that "Mr. Constantin pushed us and pushed us" to get the money needed.

Fournel testified that he

planned several other bank holdups in September "at the suggestion of lawyer Constantin."

He said Mr. Constantin referred to the St. Laurent bank branch as "the last place that you did."

**MURDER CHARGES**  
Mr. Constantin represented Fournel in court at the time of his arraignment last month on charges of capital murder along with Marcotte and Jules Reeves.

Mr. Constantin apparently has since disassociated himself from Fournel's defence and now is sitting at Marcotte's trial beside Yves Mayrand, Marcotte's lawyer of record.

Mr. Constantin was in the

court when Fournel gave his testimony. He said nothing but was seen to shake his head a number of times during Fournel's testimony about him.

**ASKED PERMISSION**  
Later Mr. Constantin asked the court for permission to take the witness box and testify.

The judge, Mr. Justice Roger Guimet, said permission would be given.

Fournel has named Marcotte as the alleged accomplice who wore a Santa Claus disguise when the two of them and Reeves held up the St. Laurent bank.

Two police constables were gunned down when they answered a holdup alarm at the bank.

## Red Goods Sale Not Encouraged

FOUNTAIN VALLEY, Calif. (AP)—The city council has approved first reading of a law which will require a special \$1,000 licence for merchants who sell products of Communist countries.

The law, endorsed by all five city council men, also stipulates merchants selling goods produced by Communist labor must display signs with six-inch letters saying:

"This place of business sells merchandise, wares, or goods produced in Communist countries."

The population of Fountain Valley is 2,500. It has one general store plus a combination gas station, store and post office.

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**Film Board Hit Here**  
Films made by Canada's National Film Board are becoming increasingly popular. Figures for 1962 show their use in theatres has gone up 30 per cent and they are showing up well in international competitions. Circle of the Sun won the London International film festival award and the today, Friday and Saturday showing at the Odeon Theatre.

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## Satellites Assist Eye on Cuba

WASHINGTON (UPI)—Ticon weather satellites played a vital role in the Cuban blockade and in the aerial surveillance of Castro's island, a scientist said Wednesday.

Dr. S. Fred Singer said Ticon pictures of clouds over Cuba and the sea approaches were of great value in the disposition of aircraft supporting the blockade and in the scheduling of reconnaissance planes.



WILLIAM FULBRIGHT  
... book published

## Memo Disclosed

## Fulbright Objected Before Bay of Pigs

WASHINGTON (AP)—Senator William Fulbright, chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, raised strong objections to a United States-backed invasion of Cuba in a memorandum to President Kennedy in March, 1961, shortly before the Bay of Pigs disaster.

The communication was published for the first time in a book out Wednesday, Fulbright of Arkansas. It is a collection of the Democratic senator's papers and speeches edited by Karl Meyer, editorial writer for the Washington Post.

"For the United States to overthrow Castro behind a facade of Cuban exiles would merely add fuel to the appeal of Castroism," Fulbright wrote. "Such an action would be denounced from the Rio Grande to Patagonia as an example of imperialism... We would undoubtedly also confront a serious situation in the UN. Whether we like it or not, we are in truth engaged in a mind of competitive co-existence with Castro to see whose system can produce reform and progress more quickly."

## Cease Red 'Fire' Ghana Advised

BONN (Reuters)—West Germany may review its "friendly relations" with Ghana unless the government-controlled Ghanaian press ceases its "communist anti-German" campaign, a foreign ministry spokesman said Wednesday. The spokesman said West Germany also may be forced to review economic aid being given to Ghana if the campaign does not end.

By KLAUS MUENTER

DUNCAN — The asthma-coughing of a little girl early yesterday saved the lives of a family of four who lost everything in a blaze that demolished their \$10,000 home on Lake Cowichan Road, six miles west of here. The little girl, Wanda, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeBlanc, started to cough and wake up her father.

Mr. LeBlanc found the house filled with biting smoke and screamed to his wife. "I grabbed the children and we ran out of the house," Mrs. LeBlanc said. She added, "If it hadn't been for our little daughter we probably never would have woken up."

In a roaring inferno, one of the neighbors said, the house collapsed after about 20 minutes.

## HOUSE GUTTED

Allan Fry, who lives only about 100 yards away, said when he arrived at the scene about 15 minutes after the fire, had started most of the house was gutted. Mr. and Mrs. LeBlanc's other child, eight-year old Debbie, said she was frightened and, all of a sudden after they had run outside, there was a big explosion.

## EFFORTS FAILED

Efforts to save some of the belongings failed. The house contained two bedrooms, a large living room, a bathroom and a kitchen. It was partly remodelled recently, said Mrs. LeBlanc. "Everyone has been very good to us," she said.

The family will move into an empty house across the road. Following the blaze, the local Red Cross and neighbors brought clothing and bedding and prepared the new dwelling for the homeless family.

## ORIGIN UNKNOWN

Mrs. LeBlanc said she did not know where the fire started.

The destroyed house was outside the Southend Fire Protection District. Everything went so fast the fire brigade would have had only a small chance to save anything, said one of the neighbors.

Mr. LeBlanc, a construction laborer, works for the B.C. Forest Service as a tree planter.

## 'Baptized' British Beer Doesn't Fool Regulars

By JOSEPH MACSWEN  
LONDON (UPI)—A science writer's charge that beer is being "baptized" with water in pubs raised a thin edge of foam in English drinking circles yesterday.

Dr. Michael Winstanley, in an article on the science page of the Manchester Guardian, brewed the controversy a few days ago. He wrote that beer was being watered in the so-called baptizing process by substituting about a bucket of water for a bucket of beer in a 36-gallon barrel.

Worse still, Winstanley said that when a pub-keeper pulls the pump and lets the beer overflow the glass in a generous gesture, he isn't being generous at all.

What he's doing is feeding it into a drain, or "economizer," which takes it back to the barrel—to be sold again. This, said Winstanley, could be dangerous to health in the pickup of germs.

Tuesday, The Guardian published a letter from publisher A. Challenor-Chadwick in Chisworth, declaring: "Far from putting up with a dilution in the ratio of one to 48, I am quite sure that my own customers could detect a tablespoon of water to a hogshead of ale. Equally, old toffee papers, orange peel, or tadpoles in beer are out."

C. L. Shaw of the Brewers' Society, writes that over-spill, under proper control, is not harmful but it is "distasteful" and thus the society has recommended against its use and the practice is "disappearing rapidly."

Arthur Boardman, general secretary of the Licensed Victuallers' Defence League of England and Wales, says there is no known case of infection "ever having been conveyed by beer." He adds: "The late Professor Henry Armstrong maintained almost throughout his life: 'Beer is the safest drink the world over.'"

## Summer at Victoria U

## Courses Grow Big

The 1963 summer session at Victoria University will offer more courses and is expected to draw more students than ever before.

Some 900 are expected to enroll in 36 credit courses, and five non-credit courses, including the first in a series of science institutes, will boost the total to more than 1,000.

## ABOUT HALF

Hugh Farquhar, director of the summer session, said about half of the 60 faculty members will come from other parts of Canada, the U.S. and Great Britain.

Rapid growth of summer session activities is shown by the fact the enrolment for credit courses has doubled since the program was started here in 1957.

## RAPID GROWTH

There has also been a rapid growth of interest in non-credit courses. While about 25 per cent of those enrolled for credit courses are arts and science students, all non-credit courses offered are for teachers.

Yet last year 200 teachers enrolled in non-credit summer courses here.

At a time when many teachers are seeking additional credits for higher qualifications and the salaries that go with them, a university spokesman said, self-improvement for its own sake is "evidence of professionalism on the part of teachers."

The chemistry institute July 15 to 26 is being financed by a \$2,500 grant from the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. Ltd. of Trail.

District superintendents of schools throughout B.C. have asked to recommend the best history.

## In Esquimalt

## New Car Club Starting Clean

A new car club for teenagers—sponsored by Esquimalt policeman Douglas Sproston—will hold its first car wash Saturday to raise funds to operate. The Stokers, with 13 members between 16 and 19 years of age, will hold the car wash at the Esquimalt shopping plaza between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. Saturday, weather permitting. Charge will be 50 cents. The club has been endorsed by Esquimalt police Chief James Smart.

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**1 brass planter**, reg. 6.39, 4.29





Stuart Conarroe and assailant

Foreign Invader

Scorpion Bites  
Esquimalt Man

By TED SHACKLEFORD

A 23-year-old Esquimalt man was bitten by a poisonous scorpion in Victoria Wednesday afternoon.

The tiny scorpion, only about 1 1/2 inches long including the scorpion's claws and slender tail, came to Victoria from Florida in a box of Plunosa fern consigned to a city wholesaler.

Stuart Conarroe, 784 Fairview, was unpacking the box when he was stung by the thin, needle-like dart at the end of the scorpion's tail.

INJECTION

Taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by his employers, Mr. Conarroe's swollen hand was given a local anesthetic and he was given an injection to counter the scorpion's poison.

Doctors told him the spider-like scorpion packed enough poison to kill a small child. Mr. Conarroe's hand and forearm swelled to twice its normal size before stopping. It was the first recorded case of scorpion poisoning in Victoria for many years.

RITE ON PALM

"It was about 2:30 p.m." Mr. Conarroe recalled last night. "I was unpacking the box of fern and I reached in to pick up two bundles and I felt this

bite on the palm of my right hand.

"I dropped the fern and just then one of the fellows came in. I said I had been bitten by something and, just joking, he said it was a scorpion.

"When I picked up the fern and shook it the scorpion fell on the back of my left hand and I had to shake it four times before I could get it off.

TO HOSPITAL

"Then I called Gerry Steele, assistant manager of the florist firm and we stuck it in a bottle and he took me to hospital."

Swelling began immediately he was bitten and the poison made Mr. Conarroe drowsy. He rested at St. Joseph's Hospital for a short time before going home.

SOUVENIR  
Mr. Conarroe has kept the scorpion and plans to preserve it in formaldehyde as a souvenir. Like a baby lobster with its two pincers and narrow body about as long as a dime is wide, the scorpion was lively, running around a pie plate.

Winter  
Sealing  
Baltic

LONDON (UPI)—Landslides Wednesday wrecked dozens of buildings in Italy while one of the worst European winters of the century threatened to close the Baltic Sea route to the Atlantic.

The Swedish national ice-breaking commission said the 157,000-square-mile Baltic may have to be closed to all shipping during March because of the ice barriers in the Oresund Strait.

FISHERMEN BARRED

This would mean that Baltic Sea nations, including the Soviet Union, would be barred from access to the Atlantic and that Polish and East German fishing trawlers would be unable to land their catches at their home ports.

Meteorologists said they had informed the Swedish commission that temperatures in all of northern Europe will be below normal or considerably below normal during the next 10 days—and probably longer.

100 HOMELESS

More than 100 persons were homeless at Capoue, east of Naples, where 30 buildings were endangered and another 24 warehouses and workshops have partially collapsed because of the advancing sea of mud and rocks.

Torrential rains lashing the Italian peninsula caused a wall to collapse at Caserta, killing two school children.

TOLL 1,700

The Siberian cold wave, which began its sweep across Europe Dec. 23, has been blamed for nearly 1,700 deaths, including the 12 persons killed by landslides in Italy since Sunday.



GEORGE PEARKESS  
... limited

No Shop  
Talk

VANCOUVER (CP)—Lieutenant Governor George Pearkes, who served as defence minister in the Diefenbaker government until his present appointment in 1960, says a lieutenant governor has a limited choice of subjects on which he may speak in public.

Addressing the Canadian Club here Wednesday, he said:

"I'm sure all of you would like to hear me deal with the present political situation."

As lieutenant governor, however, he could not. He added:

"As many of you have told me in the past, I know nothing about national defence."

Multi-Nation Force

Polaris on Surface  
Backed for NATO

WASHINGTON (AP)—A suggestion that surface ships can be used for a start on a Polaris missile system for NATO got United States backing Wednesday.

The state department, obviously after consultation with the defence department, said a multi-nation force using Polaris nuclear missiles could be composed of either surface ships or submarines or both.

A spokesman then added that studies made by the U.S. indicate "it would be advantageous to equip the force with surface ships at least initially."

There would be several apparent advantages for European nations in using surface vessels, either warships or converted merchant-type craft, as launching bases for Polaris weapons.

They would be less expensive than the atomic-powered submarines used by the U.S. navy, which cost about \$120,000,000 each—not counting the cost of the 18 missiles each boat carries.

U.S. Naval Officer  
Told to Quit Haiti

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (AP)—The Duvalier government has asked the commander of the United States naval mission, Marine Col. Robert Deis Heintz, to leave Haiti by Thursday. It was learned Wednesday. He has headed the 30-man U.S. mission since 1959.

Heintz incurred the displeasure of President Francois Duvalier last year with critical comments about creation of a civilian militia, informants said. Duvalier is said to have viewed the comments as having bad effect on the Haitian army.

Heintz is expected to hand over his command Thursday to his deputy, Col. Roy Batterson, who has been in Haiti for six months.

At any moment the lid is expected to blow off the boiling cauldron of unrest in the Negro republic of Haiti, which is only 30 miles from Cuba. For the ugly picture, turn to BACKGROUND on Page 5.

Harkness Unopposed  
For Tory Nomination

CALGARY (CP)—Former defence minister Douglas Harkness Wednesday night was nominated Progressive Conservative candidate for Calgary North in the April 8 federal election. He was not opposed.

Mr. Harkness resigned from his defence post three weeks ago over a dispute with the Conservative government on nuclear weapons. He has represented Calgary North for 18 years.

NEW LEADER

The former minister said in Calgary Monday that Prime Minister Diefenbaker should be replaced by a new leader of the Conservative party.

About 250 supporters gave Mr. Harkness a standing ovation at the meeting in the auditorium of the Balmoral school. There were seats for 300 people.

The former school teacher and army officer was introduced as a "man who in the finest traditions of Progressive Conservatism has put principles, belief and honesty before personal considerations."

Mr. Harkness advocates nuclear weapons for Canadian armed forces.

Two placard-bearing students from the University of Alberta in Calgary entered the auditorium a few minutes before the nomination was accepted.

They identified themselves as members of the Combined University Campaign Against Nuclear Disarmament for Canada.

A delegation of 12 supporters led by Mayne E. A. Toshack of Drumheller, Alta., paraded into the auditorium carrying placards supporting Mr. Harkness. Dr. John Porter, president of the Calgary North Constituency Association, said Mr. Harkness served Canada in "perhaps one of the best ways."

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PIERRE SEVIGNY  
... undecided

Brazil, Paraguay?  
REDS BUILDING  
LATIN BASES



DR. DEVARONA  
... military action

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A former president of the Cuban senate told a Congressional hearing Wednesday he has been told that the Russians have set up secret bases in Brazil and Paraguay.

The claim was made by Dr. Manuel de Varona who said the Russians and other European Communist workers have built supply centres near Asuncion, Paraguay, and in northwest Brazil. The anti-Castro refugee said he understood that both bases appeared to have airstrips that could accommodate large planes.

In his testimony before the house foreign affairs subcommittee on Latin America, de Varona also said that only military action led by the United States "can liberate Cuba and restore peace to the hemisphere."

NOT ENOUGH

DeVarona, whose son took part in the Bay of Pigs invasion fiasco, said diplomatic and economic pressure are not enough to topple the Fidel Castro regime.

He urged an air and naval blockade of the island to force the removal of Soviet troops in Cuba. He also advocated military help to Cuban freedom fighters and if needed "collective armed action by the American republics, including the United States."

"UNDERSTAND"

DeVarona, who was Cuba's prime minister from 1948 to 1950, did not specifically call for an invasion but he commented that other Latin American countries would understand if the United States sent armed forces into Cuba.

"There is a distinction between an action of conquest and an action of liberation," he said.

35,000 REDS  
DeVarona questioned the administration's assertion that there are approximately 17,000 Russian military troops in Cuba. He said his sources indicated there were about 35,000 Soviets on the island.

The witness attached no significance to reports that the Russians will soon pull several thousand more troops out of Cuba. While one contingent leaves, he said, another contingent could come in.

Slide Buries 13

TOKYO (AP)—Thirteen lumberjacks were buried Wednesday in an avalanche that rolled over a wooden hut 17 miles north of Ishiguro in northeastern Honshu. Police said one person was killed and nine were missing.

Lifejacket Only Sign  
Of Lost Freighter

KEY WEST, Fla. (UPI)—A lifejacket clearly stencilled "Sulphur Queen" was found bobbing in an oil slick in the Florida Straits Wednesday, but hours of renewed search failed to turn up any sign of the 39 crewmen who vanished with the vessel.

Thanks to Canada

U.S. Deficit Swollen

By HAROLD MORRISON

WASHINGTON (CP)—The United States commerce department, looking over its 1962 international trade and payments picture, finds the U.S. deficit bigger than anticipated. It says Canada's dollar troubles "worsened" the U.S. payments balance.

At the same time, a state department official praised the Canadian government for removing more of the special import restrictions imposed during the 1962 dollar crisis and expressed hope the remainder would be removed shortly.

The view here is that the U.S. government expects Canada to remove all of the restrictions before an important ministerial trade conference gets under way at Geneva in May. That meeting is to set the stage for 1964 tariff negotiations under President Kennedy's trade expansion authority.

The commerce department had anticipated the U.S. payments deficit for 1962 would total about \$2,000,000,000. A closer look showed it was a little higher—about \$2,200,000,000—even though the U.S. had raised an extra \$367,000,000 during the final three months of the year through advance debt repayments from France and from the sale of short-term bonds in Europe.

The U.S. government is deeply concerned about the payments deficit—with more dollars flowing out of the country than coming in—and is attempting to reduce U.S. spending abroad by curbing foreign defence contracts and inducing the allies to shoulder a bigger share of joint defence costs.

Sevigny an Independent?

MONTREAL (CP)—Pierre Sevigny, a former minister in the Diefenbaker government, said Wednesday he may announce next month that he will run as an independent candidate in Longueuil riding.

At a press conference called to announce his plans in view of the April 8 federal election, Mr. Sevigny said "I have not yet decided my personal course of action."

Formerly associate minister of national defence in the Progressive Conservative cabinet, he resigned Feb. 9 in a dispute over defence policy.

Wednesday he repeated earlier statements that Canada has specific commitments toward the North Atlantic Treaty Organization "that we must respect." These commitments could only be discharged if certain weapons, such as the Bomarc missiles and CF-104 fighter-bombers, were equipped with short-range nuclear warheads "of a tactical or defensive nature."

Our tactical short-range defensive nuclear warheads, even if they were stored on our soil in deep warehouses, would remain in the hands of the United States until such a day as an attack appeared imminent, when the president of the U.S. could release them to our Canadian forces.

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# Hole in Her Heart Saved Karina's Life

By DON MATHESON



Karina Marie... heart with a hole

Karina Marie is a white-blond, blue-eyed, rosy-cheeked, spunky, inquisitive, fingers-into-everything, normally active 18-month-old baby girl.

She also has a hole in her heart.

In a curiously unique reverse twist of circumstances, she probably would not be alive today if she didn't have a hole in her heart.

It was all that kept her alive before an infinitely more serious deformity of her tiny heart was discovered and corrected.

She is unique in another way.

Her mother, the equally vivacious 22-year-old wife of Michael Willard, 5662 West Saanich Road, now on a petty officer's training course at HMCS Naden, explained why.

It's a fascinating account of how modern medicine, with intensive research into diagnostic and operative techniques, can save a small life.

Mrs. Willard is emphatic about one fact.

"Karina wouldn't be alive today if it hadn't been for donations to the Heart Fund to make the research possible."

In a current drive running through Feb. 28, the B.C. Heart Foundation seeks \$35,000 of a \$200,000 B.C. objective. Research took 68.2 per cent of 1962's budget.

Just after her birth, Mrs. Willard explained, Karina breathed in tiny, panting puff-puffs, never drawing a deep breath. Whether it hurt is not known.

## Victoria Girl Tribute to Research

But her first operation showed that every deep breath, swallow or movement cut off the supply of blood to her lower body. Even so, every fourth second no blood flowed for one second.

Her heart, briefly, had five sections instead of four, an extra piece of artery going to the wrong place, and a vein that shouldn't have been there at all.

Just the hole inside her

heart kept her alive as it leaked enough blood, one-sixth of a normal supply, into proper channels to carry life-giving oxygen to her body cells.

After many tests, a child specialist one day finally pinned the trouble in the tiny body down to either heart or lungs.

That night she had a convulsion and was taken to hospital in Victoria.

A week of tests later,

doctors were taking X-rays through a tiny tube run from an artery in her leg up inside the heart.

On the last photograph, which had to be enlarged four times normal to make sure, they found the evidence of the malformation.

Two days later a medical

team of seven under surgeon Dr. Phillip Ashmore worked over Karina 3½ hours in the famed heart centre of Vancouver General Hospital.

She was on the heart-lung machine 32 minutes, the longest a baby her size had been to that time. It bypasses the heart so surgeons can operate unhindered by surging blood.

"The money that financed

the machine, a fairly new development, came from the Heart Fund," says Mrs. Willard.

That life-extending hole in

Karina's heart may require another operation when she

is three. The condition then would become a handicap, turning her into what is commonly known as a "blue baby."

It may also heal itself by then. Only time will say.

"How it will affect her future development nobody knows, because they never had anyone like her before," says Mrs. Willard.

"We'd read stories that it happened to someone."

"But this proves, all over

again, how it can happen to you or your next-door neighbor."

"Just those people who dig down made Karina's life possible."

## 'Inferno' at Duncan

# Cough Saves Family in Fire

DUNCAN — The athletic coughing of a little girl early yesterday saved the lives of a family of four who lost everything in a blaze that demolished their \$10,000 home on Lake Cowichan Road, six miles west of here. The little girl, Wanda, 5, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter LeBlanc, started to cough and woke up her father.

Mr. LeBlanc found the house filled with biting smoke and screamed to his wife.

"I grabbed the children and we ran out of the house," Mrs. LeBlanc said. She added, "If it hadn't been for our little daughter we probably never would have woken up."

In a roaring inferno, one of the neighbors said, the house collapsed after about 20 minutes.

### HOUSE GUTTED

Allan Fry, who lives only about 100 yards away, said when he arrived at the scene about 15 minutes after the fire had started most of the house was gutted.

Mr. and Mrs. LeBlanc's other child, eight-year-old Debbie, said she was frightened and, all of a sudden after they had run outside, there was a big explosion.

### EFFORTS FAILED

Efforts to save some of the belongings failed. The house contained two bedrooms, a large living room, a bathroom and a kitchen. It was partly remodelled recently, said Mrs. LeBlanc. "Everyone has been very good to us," she said.

The family will move into an empty house across the road. Following the blaze, the local Red Cross and neighbors brought clothing and bedding and prepared the new dwelling for the homeless family.

### ORIGIN UNKNOWN

Mrs. LeBlanc said she did not know where the fire started.

The destroyed house was outside the Southend Fire Protection District. Everything went so fast the fire brigade would have had only a small chance to save anything, said one of the neighbors.

Mr. LeBlanc, a construction laborer, works for the B.C. Forest Service as a tree planter.



## Sizing Up Future

Beret is tried on for size by Cadet Dale McPherson, 13, at last night's St. John Ambulance cadet induction ceremonies. About 50 cadets were inducted into St. John Ambulance and certificates, pins and berets were presented.

## Texaco Station

# Fourth Oil Firm Lowers Prices

The C. Ellis Texaco station by Douglas and Princess

dropped the price of its gasoline to 40.9 cents per gallon yesterday, as Texaco became the fourth oil company here supplying gasoline on a concession basis.

The move started with Imperial Oil and was followed

# Cameron Lake Boat Ramp Chamber Aim

PORT ALBERNI—A resolution urging action by the provincial government to establish a small-boat launching ramp on Cameron Lake will go from the Port Alberni and District Chamber of Commerce to the Associated Chambers of Commerce of Vancouver Island.

Presented by Dr. R. W.

Garner at the regular meeting

of the chamber, the resolution

will point out the tourist

attractions of Cameron Lake,

the fact that it is well stocked

with trout, that it is centrally

located on a developed tourist

route and the department of

recreation has already sur-

veyed the site. An early start

on construction of the ramp

and adequate parking area is

urged.

The chamber also authorized

a letter to Recreation Minister

Earle Westwood asking his

department's investigation of

reports of pollution in Alberni

Inlet.

## 'Tourist Dollars' Marked

NANAIMO—Benefits of external

advertising for the tourist

trade will be stressed by the

use of rubber stamps with the

slogan, "These are Tourist

Dollars," Visitors' Services

Bureau directors decided here

yesterday.

Members will be urged to

stamp their cheques with the

slogan, to emphasize the need

for external advertising.

Suggestions that film show-

ing tourist attractions of the

Island should be shown on

ferry trips and that tourist in-

formation should be relayed

over ferry communications

systems, received the interest

of the directors.

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## Cowichan Festival

# Adjudicator Pleased With School Drama

DUNCAN — Adjudicator for

the week-long Cowichan School

Drama Festival, Mrs. J. Nicholson

of Trail, said performances

during the first two nights

have been satisfactory and the

drama standard in this area

is "pretty high."

Tuesday night Grade 6 and

7 students from Clifside

Preparatory School presented

Scutcheon's Treasure, directed

by C. J. Curtis.

Mrs. Nicholson said it was

a delightful play and the en-

joyment of the actors spread

to the audience.

Second play of the evening

Spooks in Books by Grade 7

pupils of the Cowichan Senior

Secondary School, directed by

N. F. Bevan was a very light

play, said the adjudicator. It

did not give much opportunity

for characterization, but the

young actors made much of it.

Under the direction of Mrs.

M. B. Dickens, Queen Marg-

aret's School Grade 7 girls per-

formed The Sleeping Furies.

Mrs. Nicholson said the

students handled the excellent

play very well. "It was well

cast," she added.

## Tofino Traffic

# Ferry, Truck Line Combine in Firm

PORT ALBERNI—The M.

Lady Rose and the truck line

serving the Ucluelet-Tofino

area are now under one man-

agement, as Alberni Marine

Transport Ltd., adding three

new partners, takes over Long

Beach Transport.

John Monroff and Dick

McMinn, original partners in

the marine transport firm,

have been joined by Bob Ad-

rain, Dave Elms and Jack

Howitt.

They will continue to op-

erate the Lady Rose pinner

and freight service be-

cause her regular schedule,

between Port Alberni and the

west coast and will now haul

freight over the Tofino-Alberni

road, taking over the rolling

stock of the trucking firm.

Mr. Monroff, speaking for

the partnership, said plans are

being made to establish a new

schedule for the trucks with

a view to increasing the ser-

vice. Trucks now leave here for

the west coast on Mondays,

Wednesdays and Fridays.

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## Juvenile Remanded

A juvenile charged with delinquency, to wit capital murder, was remanded to 2 p.m. Friday when he appeared in juvenile court yesterday.

The juvenile is being held in connection with the double shooting last week of George Alfred Rickford and his wife.

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Marie Helene Amanda Bickford, 3625 Melcroft.  
A coroner's inquest, called Monday to hear medical evidence, adjourned to March 4.

Two sailors were fined \$20 each in city magistrate's court on separate charges of being minors in possession of liquor.

Robert Glen Coupar, HMCS Fraser, was found in an alley off Cormorant Street with a bottle of rum, police said.

Gordon Thomas Fletcher, HMCS Saskatchewan, was seen outside a liquor store

giving an American sailor money to buy him liquor. He was later arrested with a bottle of rum.

"This is the sort of co-operation between navies the crown does not approve of," Magistrate William Ostler said.

William Allison, 3211 Albion, was sentenced to one month for driving while under suspension and careless driving.

In Esquimalt court Michael Patrick Paine, 19, of 454 Fraser, pleaded guilty to throwing a beer bottle off the road and creating a disturbance.

Police testified Paine was taken home after he had been warned about screaming and shouting on the street and breaking a beer bottle in the crosswalk at Fraser and Esquimalt at 2 a.m. yesterday.

Paine showed up at the police station at 3 a.m., screaming and swearing and demanding to be locked up, police said. He was remanded to Feb. 25 for probation report and sentence.



Linemen, Too

## Signallers Recruit Women

Women as well as men will be accepted by 5 Area Signal Squadron in a new recruitment program announced last night by commanding officer Capt. A. F. Smythe.

"The program is going into high gear," Capt. Smythe told The Daily Colonist, "and we hope to double the strength of the unit."

Courses will be given in Morse code for wireless telegraphy, voice procedures, operation of transmitter and receiver equipment and walkie-talkie radio, he said.

### EXPERIENCE SOUGHT

"We are interested in getting recruits who have had telephone experience," the captain said, "particularly line-men."

The courses given will qualify members of the unit to take part in national survival operations. Anyone interested should apply at the Bay Street Armory.

## Girls Moving In?

Girls may soon invade Bay Street Armory where boys are taking courses on standard national survival communications equipment at 5 Area Signal Squadron. Commanding officer Capt. A. F. Smythe, 4916 Cordova Bay, supervises radiomen Cpl. Brian Hayes, 1286 Pike, and Cpl. Duane Bird, 1534 Amphion, in regular training exercises.

## Lawyer Behind Holdup Suspect Tells Court

MONTREAL (CP) — Jean-Paul Fournel testified Wednesday that Trajan Constantin, a lawyer for the defence at the murder trial of Georges Marcotte, instigated a bank robbery last September.

Fournel dropped the bombshell during cross-examination at the trial of Marcotte, charged with capital murder in the death of two police constables during a bank holdup Dec. 14 in suburban St. Laurent.

**ROBBED BANK**  
He testified that he had robbed the same bank twice before, once at the end of May or early June, 1962, and again in September, 1962.

Fournel also named Andre Grafenko as an accomplice in the first two bank robberies.

**'BUY RESTAURANT'**  
Fournel testified that the September robbery was carried out at "instigation" of "lawyer Constantin."

Fournel said that last July or August Mr. Constantin had come to him with a proposition to buy a restaurant that was bankrupt.

He said Mr. Constantin was an inspector of bankruptcies and wanted "to use Grafenko and me as a front."

**NEEDED MONEY**  
He said that between \$5,000 and \$10,000 was needed to run the restaurant, adding that "Mr. Constantin pushed us and pushed us" to get the money needed.

Fournel testified that he

planned several other bank holdups in September, "at the suggestion of lawyer Constantin."

He said Mr. Constantin referred to the St. Laurent bank branch as "the last place that you did."

### MURDER CHARGES

Mr. Constantin represented Fournel in court at the time of his arraignment last month on charges of capital murder along with Marcotte and Jules Reeves.

Mr. Constantin apparently has since dissociated himself from Fournel's defence and now is sitting at Marcotte's trial beside Yves Mayrand, Marcotte's lawyer of record.

Mr. Constantin was in the

court when Fournel gave his testimony. He said nothing but was seen to shake his head a number of times during Fournel's testimony about him.

### ASKED PERMISSION

Later Mr. Constantin asked the court for permission to take the witness box and testify.

The judge, Mr. Justice Roger Ouellet, said permission would be given.

Fournel has named Marcotte as the alleged accomplice who wore a Santa Claus disguise when the two of them and Reeves held up the St. Laurent bank.

Two police constables were gunned down when they answered a holdup alarm at the bank.

## Red Goods Sale Not Encouraged

FOUNTAIN VALLEY, Calif. (AP) — The city council has approved first reading of a law which will require a special \$1,000 licence for merchants who sell products of Communist countries.

The law, endorsed by all five city council men, also stipulates merchants selling goods produced by Communist labor must display signs with six-line letters saying:

"This place of business sells merchandise, wares, or goods produced in Communist countries."

The population of Fountain Valley is 2,500. It has one general store plus a combination gas station, store and post office.

The ordinance will become law if it passes a second reading in two weeks.

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## Film Board Hit Here

Films made by Canada's National Film Board are becoming increasingly popular.

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# Port Alberni Store Plans Big Addition

PORT ALBERNI — A \$750,000 project which will provide a new food floor and additional parking at the Woodward's Port Alberni store has been announced by company president C. N. Woodward.

According to the announcement an immediate start is planned on the work. The new food floor will contain 23,000 square feet of floor space and is scheduled to open late this fall.

Also announced were plans for complete renovation of the present department store and installation of new fixtures throughout, with this phase of the project to be completed some time in 1965.

COURTENAY — If Canada accepts nuclear arms, Comox could become a stockpile area for nuclear arms, guarded by American troops, Tom Barnett, Comox-Alberni, MP told constituents here this week. He said that if ICBMs are not already aimed at Comox they certainly would be if arms were piled here. Mr. Barnett felt that, regardless of efforts to "play it

down," nuclear weapons would be the main election issue.

PARKSVILLE — Parksville village commissioners are requesting the RCMP to take steps to curb the firing of guns at the municipal garbage dump a few miles south of the village.

The request follows vandalism last weekend when a hut used by the caretaker was riddled with rifle bullets and the lock shot off the door.

COURTENAY — Courtenay Recreation Association incurred a loss of \$2,195 on last year's operation, reports to the annual meeting Tuesday showed.

Included in the \$17,876 expenditures was \$1,929 for a new tile floor for the small hall and \$1,200 for new equipment.

Apart from government grants chief source of revenue was bingo with \$3,171. Hall rentals brought in \$1,200 and memberships \$390.

Ald. S. F. Williams, president, was re-elected to the executive along with W. M. McGill, Mrs. B. Moore and M. Witzel.

PARKSVILLE — An extension of one week has been made for the receipt of tenders for the construction of Parksville's proposed sewer system and contractors now have until Feb. 23 to submit bids. Tenders must be in by 5 p.m. on that day at the municipal office.

GANGES — Annual spring flower show will be held this year under the auspices of the Salt Spring Island Chrysanthemum Society. It was decided at a recent meeting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Auslin Wilson.

Date of the show will be announced later.

PARKSVILLE — A social evening will be held by the Silver Spur Horse and Riding Association at the Royal Canadian Legion hall Saturday at 8 p.m.

Films on horsemanship will be shown and refreshments will be served. Mrs. H. J. Parsley is refreshment convener and will be assisted by Miss Sharon Parsley and Miss Pat Tennant.

PARKSVILLE — Authentic old tribal dances of the Coast Indians will be the highlight of a program of entertainment to be presented at Parksville Junior High School auditorium Friday at 8 p.m.

George Clute of Alberni has arranged the dances and the event is being sponsored by French Creek PTA with proceeds to go towards a Quilicum Beach High School bursary fund.

Cowichan Lake District Boy Scouts of Canada have launched their annual campaign for financial support, district president H. B. Gibson said yesterday.

Project this year for 230 district Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs, in addition to citizenship and leadership training, are improvement of Marble Bay camp and the start of a mountain lodge on Mount Heather.

Anyone interested in contributing to the annual campaign may send donations to Paul Bensen, treasurer, Cowichan Lake District Boy Scouts Association, Box 262, Lake Cowichan, or to the Toronto-Dominion Bank, Lake Cowichan. Receipts for income tax purposes will be mailed.

## Genoa Bay

## Council Plans Road Upkeep

NORTH COWICHAN—Council yesterday told the operator of the Captain Morgan Lodge, Harry Omstead, and another Genoa Bay resident, Horst Padur, every effort will be made to keep Genoa Bay Road in reasonable shape.

Council also will see that the road is not cluttered up with logging machinery. Recently the road has been used by a local logging firm cutting and hauling timber bought from the municipality. Logging will be completed in May.

### CONDITION POOR

Mr. Omstead complained the present condition of the road would provide a hardship for his customers beginning to arrive in April. He asked the council to have turnoffs built as the road in places is too narrow to allow two vehicles to pass. Mr. Omstead said he is happy to see some improvement work done to the road by municipal work crews.

The second complainant, Mr. Padur told council that recently he blew two tires driving over the road and all that people in the Genoa Bay area are asking for is reasonable maintenance. The 3½-mile road between Bird's Eye Cove and Genoa Bay serves the lodge, two farms and eight private residences.

### APPLICATION APPROVED

Council approved an application from James Patterson to construct a permanent trailer court at the Silver Park, and two requests from the Cowichan school board to paint double solid lines between "School Slow" signs and to use portable school warning signs before and after school hours.

The sum of \$60 will be paid to Paul Stone who lost three sheep to marauding dogs. Mr. Stone estimated the entire loss at \$80 and according to the sheep protection plan, council pays two-thirds.

Following a recent combined meeting between North Cowichan council and Cowichan school board, council yesterday accepted expenditure estimates from school districts 65 and 67. Estimated school costs for 1963 are: \$1,655,757 for Cowichan and \$303,833 for Ladysmith districts.

## Nanaimo Plans Berlin Seminar

NANAIMO — The Berlin problem will be discussed during a one-day seminar at Nanaimo Senior High School March 9.

Speakers will include John Wood of the University of British Columbia economics and political science department, Dr. John Conway of the university's history and international affairs department, and Consul von Estorff of the Federal Republic of Germany. The seminar will end with a panel discussion of the Berlin crisis. John Grant, public affairs representative for the UBC extension department, will be chairman.

COURTENAY—C. A. Cousins was re-elected president of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce at the annual meeting this week.

Also serving with Mr. Cousins are Don Williams, vice-president; John Leung, treasurer; Frank Johnson, secretary, and Mrs. C. Carter, corresponding secretary.

Directors are Peter Cameron, Frank Loe, G. E. Stephenson and Roy Thaxton, forest reserve.

## Alberni Search Pressed

ALBERNI — RCMP are conducting a search for Mrs. Emma Caldwell, 51, a long-time resident of the district, who has been reported missing from her home at 717 Glenade Road, Alberni.

A search and rescue squad is aiding police.

## Planner Says

## Senior Citizens Like City's Hum, Bustle

NANAIMO — Miss Mary Rawson, town planner, said this week senior citizens should not be in developments away from town.

"A place like the Malaspina site would be ideal, close to town and shops and churches where they could see things going on, the boats in the harbor coming and going, and

even the bright lights shining at night," she said.

Since another senior citizens' housing development was being planned in Nanaimo, she said, attention should perhaps be given to the thought of building an apartment-type dwelling with a common dining and living area so that there would be no isolation of single senior citizens in unit dwelling. Privacy could still be attained in private rooms. The present unit, Miss Rawson said, could be turned into nurses' residence or chronic rehabilitation units.

### JOINT MEETING

Miss Rawson gave a report on the plan for development of the northwest section (around the regional hospital area) of the city to a joint meeting of the advisory planning board and the city council.

She said the city-owned land and adjacent land could be re-plotted to create room for a shopping centre, high rise apartment, a park area and homesites.

The park area would be combined with the school area so that school children would be able to keep off the roads and thus eliminate crossings.

### AREA IMPROVES

Miss Rawson advised that with re-plotting the 2½-acre shopping area, tiered housing, the park area tied in with the school area, and the low swampy land taken into the park for development, would become one of the most sought-after residential districts in the city.

Replotting is a term used when all owners of property in a certain district agree to throw their land into "a common pot" receiving land of equal value but located in such a manner that minimum road area is required to give maximum access to the houses.

All owners must agree to the scheme and it has been found that land values have gone up when such a scheme has been put into effect because the general appearance of the district is improved, Miss Rawson said.

## Timber Cut Pays Off

NORTH COWICHAN — Council yesterday learned approximately 21,000,000 board feet of timber will be cut in municipally-owned forests during the next 10 years, and, in addition, some 150 acres have been set aside for Christmas tree growing.

During the period 1960-62, \$61,870 worth of timber and Christmas trees were sold and during the same period \$11,880 was expended in connection with the forest reserve.

The forest reserve consists of 11,000 acres. Logged-off areas not restocked naturally will be planted during the next two years with seedlings from the Duncan nursery of the B.C. Forest Service. It is planned to have the same council members on the forestry and parks committees to consider logged areas for park development.

A plan for the development of the municipal forest reserve was originally prepared by former Reeve Maj. Gen. C. A. P. Murtson in 1959 and approved in principle.

Early in 1960 a start was made on timber cruising, arranging for fire protection from the B.C. Forest Service and drawing up of a forest management plan. Reeve Donald Morton said, "A satisfactory progress has been made in the past three years in managing the North Cowichan forest reserve."



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Stuart Conarroe and assailant

## Foreign Invader

### Scorpion Bites Esquimalt Man

By TED SHACKLEFORD

A 23-year-old Esquimalt man was bitten by a poisonous scorpion in Victoria Wednesday afternoon.

The tiny scorpion, only about 1 1/2 inches long including the crab-like claws and slender tail, came to Victoria from Florida in a box of Plumbago fern consigned to a city wholesaler.

Stuart Conarroe, 784 Fairview, was unpacking the box when he was stung by the thin, needle-like dart at the end of the scorpion's tail.

#### INJECTION

Taken to St. Joseph's Hospital by his employers, Mr. Conarroe's swollen hand was given a local anesthetic and he was given an injection to counter the scorpion's poison.

Doctors told him the spider-like scorpion packed enough poison to kill a small child.

Mr. Conarroe's hand and forearm swelled to twice normal size before stopping. It was the first recorded case of scorpion poisoning in Victoria for many years.

#### BITE ON PALM

"It was about 2:30 p.m.," Mr. Conarroe recalled last night, "I was unpacking the box of fern and I reached in to pick up two bundles and I felt this

bite on the palm of my right hand.

"I dropped the fern and just then one of the fellows came in. I said I had been bitten by something and, just joking, he said it was a scorpion.

"When I picked up the fern and shook it the scorpion fell on the back of my left hand and I had to shake it four times before I could get it off.

#### TO HOSPITAL

"Then I called Gerry Steele, assistant manager of the florist firm, and we stuck it in a bottle and he took me to hospital."

Swelling began immediately he was bitten and the poison made Mr. Conarroe drowsy. He rested at St. Joseph's Hospital for a short time before going home.

#### SOUVENIR

Mr. Conarroe has kept the scorpion and plans to preserve it in formaldehyde as a souvenir. Like a baby lobster with its two pincers and narrow body about as long as a dime, the scorpion was lively, running around a plate.

## Winter Sealing Baltic

LONDON (UPI)—Landslides Wednesday wrecked dozens of buildings in Italy while one of the worst European winters of the century threatened to close the Baltic Sea route to the Atlantic.

The Swedish national ice-breaking commission said the 137,000-square-mile Baltic may have to be closed to all shipping during March because of the ice barriers in the Oresund Strait.

#### FISHERMEN BARRED

This would mean that Baltic Sea nations, including the Soviet Union, would be barred from access to the Atlantic and that Polish and East German fishing trawlers would be unable to land their catches at their home ports.

Meteorologists said they had informed the Swedish commission that temperatures in all of northern Europe will be below normal or considerably below normal during the next 10 days—and probably longer.

#### 100 HOMELESS

More than 100 persons were homeless at Caposele, east of Naples, where 30 buildings were endangered and another 21 warehouses and workshops have partially collapsed because of the advancing sea of mud and rocks.

Torrential rains lashing the Italian peninsula caused a wall to collapse at Caserta, killing two school children.

#### TOLL 1,700

The Siberian cold wave which began its sweep across Europe Dec. 23, has been blamed for nearly 1,700 deaths, including the 12 persons killed by landslides in Italy since Sunday.



GEORGE PEARKE  
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## No Shop Talk

VANCOUVER (CP)—Lieutenant-Governor George Pearkes, who served as defence minister in the Diefenbaker government until his present appointment in 1960, says a lieutenant-governor has a limited choice of subjects on which he may speak in public.

Addressing the Canadian Club here Wednesday, he said:

"I'm sure all of you would like to hear me deal with the present political situation."

As lieutenant-governor, however, he could not, he added.

"As many of you have told me in the past, I know nothing about national defence."

## Multi-Nation Force

### Polaris on Surface Backed for NATO

WASHINGTON (AP)—A suggestion that surface ships can be used for a start on a Polaris missile system for NATO got United States backing Wednesday.

The state department, obviously after consultation with Britain, unveiled largest-ever defence budget, including new nuclear weapons for V bomber force. See Page 2.

the defence department, said a multinational force using Polaris nuclear missiles could be composed of either surface ships or submarines or both. A spokesman then added that studies made by the U.S. indicate "it would be advantageous to equip the force with surface ships at least initially."

There would be several apparent advantages for European nations in using surface vessels, either warships or converted merchant-type craft, as launching bases for Polaris weapons.

They would be less expensive than the atomic-powered submarines used by the U.S. navy, which cost about \$120,000,000 each—not counting the cost of the 16 missiles each boat carries.

## U.S. Naval Officer Told to Quit Haiti

PORT AU PRINCE, Haiti (AP)—The Duvalier government has asked the commander of the United States naval mission, Marine Col. Robert Dela Heintz, to leave Haiti by Thursday, it was learned Wednesday. He has headed the 30-man U.S. mission since 1959.

Heintz incurred the displeasure of President Francois Duvalier last year with critical comments about creation of a civilian militia. Informants said, Duvalier is said to have viewed the comments as having had bad effect on the Haitian army.

Heintz is expected to hand over his command Thursday to his deputy, Col. Roy Patterson, who has been in Haiti for six months.

At any moment the lid is expected to blow off the boiling cauldron of unrest in the Negro republic of Haiti, which is only 30 miles from Cuba. For the ugly picture, turn to BACKGROUND on Page 5.

## Harkness Unopposed For Tory Nomination

CALGARY (CP)—Former defence minister Douglas Harkness Wednesday night was nominated Progressive Conservative candidate for Calgary North in the April 8 federal election. He was not opposed.

Mr. Harkness resigned from his defence post three weeks ago over a dispute with the Conservative government on nuclear weapons. He has represented Calgary North for 18 years.

#### NEW LEADER

The former minister said in Calgary Monday that Prime Minister Diefenbaker should be replaced by a new leader of the Conservative party.

About 250 supporters gave Mr. Harkness a standing ovation at the meeting in the auditorium of Balmoral school. There were seats for 300 people.

The former school teacher and army officer was introduced as a "man who in the finest traditions of Progressive Conservatism has put principles, belief and honesty before personal considerations."

#### PLACARDS

Mr. Harkness advocates nuclear weapons for Canadian armed forces.

Two placard-bearing students from the University of Alberta in Calgary entered the auditorium a few minutes before the nomination was accepted.

They identified themselves as members of the Combined University Campaign Against Nuclear Disarmament for Canada. A delegation of 12 supporters led by Mayor E. A. Tushnet of Drumheller, Alta., paraded into the auditorium carrying placards supporting Mr. Harkness.

Dr. John Porter, president of the Calgary North Constituency Association, said Mr. Harkness served Canada in "perhaps one of the most important ways."

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## Brazil, Paraguay? REDS BUILD NEW BASES

WASHINGTON (UPI)—A former president of the Cuban senate told a Congressional hearing Wednesday he has been told that the Russians have set up secret bases in Brazil and Paraguay.

The claim was made by Dr. Manuel de Varona, who said the Russians and other European Communist workers have built supply centres near Asuncion, Paraguay, and in northwest Brazil. The anti-Castro refugee said he understood that both bases appeared to have airstrips that could accommodate large planes.

In his testimony before the house foreign affairs subcommittee on Latin America, de Varona also said that only military action led by the United States "can liberate Cuba and restore peace to the hemisphere."

#### NOT ENOUGH

De Varona, whose son took part in the Bay of Pigs invasion, said diplomatic and economic pressures are not enough to topple the Fidel Castro regime.

He urged an air and naval blockade of the island to force the removal of Soviet troops in Cuba. He also advocated military help to Cuban freedom fighters and if needed "collective armed action by the American republics, including the United States."

#### "UNDERSTAND"

De Varona, who was Cuba's prime minister from 1948 to 1950, did not specifically call for an invasion but he commented that other Latin American countries would understand if the United States sent armed forces into Cuba.

"There is a distinction between an action of conquest and an action of liberation," he said.

#### 35,000 REDS

De Varona questioned the administration's assertion that there are approximately 17,000 Russian military troops in Cuba. He said his sources indicated there were about 35,000 Soviets on the island.

The witness attached no significance to reports that the Russians will soon pull out of Cuba. While one contingent leaves, he said, another contingent could come in.

#### Slide Buries 13

TOKYO (AP)—Thirteen lumberjacks were buried Wednesday in an avalanche that rolled over a wooden hut 17 miles north of Ishiguro in northeastern Honshu. Police said one person was killed and nine were missing.

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## To Venezuela

### Kennedy Pledges Support

WASHINGTON (AP)—President Kennedy pledged full support to Venezuela Wednesday in resisting the "all-out campaign of international Communism, aided especially by their Cuban allies," to overthrow President Romulo Betancourt's government.

#### KENNEDY PLEDGE

Kennedy's pledge of United States support was announced in a communique marking the winding of Betancourt's official two-day visit to Washington.

Betancourt and Kennedy said they had "considered the gravity of the situation created by establishment in Cuba of an alien, anti-democratic stronghold" which they said threatens the independence of other American republics.

#### NO CONCESSIONS

They did not announce any concessions, however.

A joint communique issued after Betancourt's final conference with Kennedy said the two presidents "looked to the Organization of American States to use all means within its power to ensure the continuity of the democratic process in the member states."

#### URGE SUPPORT

They urged the other countries in the OAS "to strengthen inter-American friendship, solidarity and security by giving full, active and immediate support to programs of the OAS for the social and economic development of the hemisphere."

Venezuela's vital interest in the U.S. petroleum market will be recognized, the statement said, in the administration of the U.S. oil-import program.

Kennedy agreed to review in advance with Venezuela any "substantive changes" in this program.

Betancourt indicated that Venezuela's concern over U.S. oil import restrictions was one of the main reasons he came to Washington.

## Lifejacket Only Sign Of Lost Freighter

KEY WEST, Fla. (UPI)—A lifejacket clearly stencilled "Sulphur Queen" was found bobbing in an oil slick in the Florida Straits Wednesday, but hours of renewed search failed to turn up any sign of the 39 crewmen who vanished with the vessel.

## Thanks to Canada

### U.S. Deficit Swollen

By HAROLD MORRISON

WASHINGTON (CP)—The United States commerce department, looking over its 1962 international trade and payments picture, finds the U.S. deficit bigger than anticipated. It says Canada's dollar troubles "worsened" the U.S. payment balance.

At the same time, a state department official praised the Canadian government for removing more of the special import restrictions imposed during the 1962 dollar crisis and expressed hope the remainder would be removed shortly.

The view here is that the U.S. government expects Canada to remove all of the restrictions before an important ministerial trade conference gets under way at Geneva in May. That meeting is to set the stage for 1964 tariff negotiations under President Kennedy's trade expansion authority.

The commerce department had anticipated the U.S. payments deficit for 1962 would total about \$2,000,000,000. A closer look showed it was a little higher—about \$2,200,000,000—even though the U.S. had raised an extra \$367,000,000 during the final three months of the year through advance debt repayments from France and from the sale of short-term bonds in Europe.

The U.S. government is deeply concerned about the payments deficit—with more dollars flowing out of the country than coming in—and is attempting to reduce U.S. spending abroad by curbing foreign defense contracts and inducing the allies to shoulder a bigger share of joint defence costs.

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## Seigny an Independent?

MONTREAL (CP)—Pierre

Seigny, a former minister in the Diefenbaker government, said Wednesday he may announce next month that he will run as an independent candidate in a federal election.

At a press conference called to announce his plans in view of the April 8 federal election, Mr. Seigny said "I have not yet decided my personal course of action."

Formerly associate minister of national defence in the Progressive Conservative cabinet, he resigned Feb. 9 in a dispute over defence policy.

Wednesday he repeated earlier statements that Canada has specific commitments toward the North Atlantic Treaty Organization "that we must respect." These commitments could only be discharged if certain weapons, such as the Bomarc missiles and CF-104 fighter-

bombers, were equipped with short-range nuclear warheads of a tactical or defensive nature.

Our tactical short-range defensive nuclear warheads, even if they were stored on our soil in deep warehouses, would remain in the hands of the United States until such a day as an attack appeared imminent, when the president of the U.S. could release them to our Canadian forces.